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GANGSTER KILLED WHEN AUTO SKIDS IN POLICE CHASE

Milton Godier, 28, Cuckoo
Gunman, Is Thrown to
Sidewalk After His Ma-
chine Crashes Into Build-
ing on Manchester Av.

AT 70-MILE CLIP ON WET PAVEMENT

Bullet Hole in Back of Car,
Which Contained Box of
Cartridges—He had been
Arrested 30 Times, One
Jail Sentence.

Driving at 70 miles an hour over
wet pavements with two automo-
bile loads of policemen in hot pur-
suit, Milton Godier, Cuckoo gang-
gunman, was killed at 3 a. m. to-
day when his automobile skidded
and crashed into a building at the
northwest corner of Manchester
and Forest avenues.

Godier was hurled from the ma-
chine. When police returned to
the scene after sliding past on the
slippery pavement they found him
crumpled on the sidewalk, a .45
caliber revolver clutched in his
right hand.

In the back of his machine was
a single bullet hole. His pursuers
reported they had fired no shots
at him, and so concluded the bul-
let hole might have been the re-
sult of an attack by other gang-
sters. Police suspect that fear of
reemies explains Godier's haste to
get back to St. Louis from the
country.

Start of the Chase.
The pursuit began when Godier's
Oakland sedan sped eastward past
North and South roads on Manches-
ter road against the traffic signal.
Night Chief of Police William
Payne of Brentwood and a friend
started after him. Payne reported
that Godier, then traveling about
30 miles an hour, stepped his speed
up past 70 as he tore eastward.

In Maplewood another police car
with Night Chief Waters and two
patrolmen joined in the chase. The
two police cars followed Godier into
St. Louis, the Brentwood machine
more than a block behind him and
the Maplewood car bringing up the
rear.

At Forest avenue, just inside the
St. Louis city limits, Godier's car
suddenly went out of control, either
because he tried to turn into Forest
avenue, or because he committed
one of the inadvertencies of steering
by braking that bring disaster on
a wet street at high speed.

In any event, his car skidded into
a one-story building on the north-
east corner and bounced to a crash-
halt. Godier's body was iden-
tified by Detectives Rooney and
Compton of the St. Louis police
force, summoned to the scene by
radio.

Searching the wrecked machine
police found in it a box of car-
tridges for his revolver and a half
pint bottle three-quarters full of
whisky.

Record of 30 Arrests.
Godier, well known to St. Louis
and county police, was an associate
of Herman Tipton, Carl Florio
and other notorious Cuckoo gang-
sters. He had been arrested 30
times, had once served a 12-month
jail sentence for grand larceny.

In 1927 he was sentenced to five
years in the penitentiary for an
offense against a woman. He
pleaded guilty. He was paroled,
however, and served no time.
He was 28 years old. On ap-
plying for his automobile license
he gave his address as 2209 Me-
nard street. He was a brother of
Norman Godier, also a Cuckoo
gangster.

Hindenburg As Life President.
BERLIN, Feb. 23.—A national
petition asking President von Hin-
denburg to accept the life presi-
dency after his term of office ex-
pires in April, 1932, was advocated
today by Arthur Mahraun, chief
of the "Jungdeutscher Orden," a
Democratic political party of
World War volunteers, whose slogan
is "regeneration of the Father-
land." At a congress of the
party held at Holzminden, Mah-
raun declared that all danger of
civil war in Germany would be re-
moved if von Hindenburg, who
will be 84 next year, were to ac-
cept the life presidency of his
country.

MUSCLE SHOALS POWER BILL PASSED BY SENATE

Body Then Reconsiders, Yielding to Request
for Hour's Debate, and Approves Second
Time—Presidential Veto Expected.

GREY SAYS BRITAIN BLAMES KING FOR LOSS OF AMERICA

Chatham and Burke Right,
George III and Ministers
Wrong, He Declares.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The pres-
ent generation of Englishmen
places responsibility for the sepa-
ration of the American colonies
from Great Britain upon King
George III and his ministers, who
opposed a policy of conciliation.
Viscount Grey of Fallodon de-
clared yesterday in a Washington
birthday address transmitted across
the Atlantic from London by ra-
dio.

"We in Britain today are brought
up in reading the history of that
time, to think that Chatham (Wil-
liam Pitt the elder) and (Ed-
mund) Burke were right and
George III and his ministers were
wrong," he said.
Earlier in his address the man
who read Great Britain's declara-
tion of war on Germany in 1914
said: "When I ask myself what
it was that caused the breach be-
tween George Washington and
Britain, and what it was that made
the breach irrevocable, I think the
fair answer, by any impartial his-
torian, is that it was the want of
statesmanship on the part of the
British Government. George Wash-
ington's place in history is estab-
lished; his fame is secure; his work
endures. He is one of the men who
are called 'great' and one of the
men to whom the word is justly
applied."

ENDS LIFE WITH POISON DURING TROLLEY RIDE

Edward Lischer, 55, Ill, Dies on
Natural Bridge Street Car
on Way Downtown.

Edward Lischer, 55 years old,
4542 Natural Bridge street, died
on a Natural Bridge car this morn-
ing of the effects of poison, which
apparently, he drank after board-
ing the car.
Lischer collapsed when the car
reached Chouteau avenue. A bottle
that had contained poison was
found under the seat. Physicians
at City Hospital pronounced Lischer
dead and the body was taken to the
mortuary, where it was identified by
a relative whose name was found
on a paper in Lischer's pocket.
Lischer had been in ill health.

LIQUOR BOAT FLEES FROM FIRE

Motor Craft in Narragansett Bay
Outdistances U. S. Craft.

By the Associated Press.
NEW LONDON, Conn., Feb. 23.—
Laden with liquor, part of which
was stacked off in a barricade, the
speed boat Monolosa was fired on
by one-pound guns aboard Coast
Guard patrol boats in the eastern
passage of Narragansett Bay today,
but escaped by outdistancing the
service craft.

Commander M. J. Ryan at de-
stroyer force headquarters here
said there was no question as to
the identity of the speed boat. The
escape of the craft was looked
upon as remarkable because it
blundered so close upon one of
the patrol boats that men aboard
the service craft could, in the beam
of a spotlight, read the name of the
brand on some of the sacks of
liquor piled aft as a barricade.

Last night's activity also saw the
destruction of the Alibi II, a speed
boat which was forfeited to the
Government but released on bond.
The Alibi burst into flames while
being pursued by the C. G. 235
seven miles west of the Vineyard
Sound light vessel and was de-
stroyed. Her crew of four men
were rescued.

RAIN TONIGHT AND TOMORROW, NO CHANGE IN TEMPERATURE

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Schools, Public Offices, Courts, Banks and Exchanges Close for Day.

The 199th anniversary of the birth of George Washington, which occurred yesterday, was observed in St. Louis today. The custom is to take note on Monday of legal holidays which fall on Sunday.

Although many business establishments, including the downtown stores, were open today, the public schools, city, state and federal offices and courts, the banks, financial houses and exchanges were closed. This meant that school children were enjoying the last of a three-day week-end vacation.

Locally, the St. Louis Stock Exchange and Merchants' Exchange were closed. So were the New York Stock Exchange and Curb and the Chicago Stock Exchange and Board of Trade in Chicago. Only special delivery mail was sent out today.

Various patriotic and civic organizations planned celebrations tomorrow at 1:30 p. m. the American War Mothers will have a Washington program, lotto and card party at 3727 West Pine boulevard.

Woman members of University Methodist Church will give a colonial silver tea at the church at 3 p. m. tomorrow. Hostesses will be in costume. There will be music.

PUBLIC BUILDING BILL PASSED
Measure to Speed Construction Program Goes to President.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—A House bill to speed the construction of the public building program through elimination of delay involved in condemnation proceedings was passed today by the Senate.

It now goes to the White House. The bill was introduced by Sen. C. W. McNary, of Oregon, and passed by a vote of 72-18.

GRADE TEACHERS' MASS MEETING
St. Louis Grade Teachers' Association SPECIAL CALL MEETING

Tuesday Afternoon, Feb. 24th, at 4:30 P. M.
SOLDAN HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
All Members Are Urged to Attend

Advertised today—sold tomorrow—is the usual experience of persons who advertise in the Post-Dispatch Classified For Sale Columns.

3 CONVICTS SLAIN TRYING TO ESCAPE AT JOLIET PRISON

Guards, Forewarned of Plot, Lie in Wait With Machine Guns Outside the Walls.

TWO AUTOS GET AWAY UNDER FIRE

Two Swindlers and Robbers Shot to Death—Two Others Hurry Back to Safety.

By the Associated Press. JOLIET, Ill., Feb. 23.—Prison guards, forewarned of a plot by prisoners to escape, early yesterday shot to death three Chicago convicts who scaled the wall of the Joliet state penitentiary.

Added by a powerful searchlight, the guards, posted outside the prison walls, with machine guns ready, found the three men easy targets and shot them down before they had a chance to reach two automobiles parked on a road near the prison, presumably by confederates.

The occupants of the cars, pursued by guards in two automobiles, drove rapidly toward Chicago and escaped, apparently untouched by the guards who fired at them.

Paul J. Norwick, 31 years old, and John J. Kilman, 34, both serving time for a confidence game, and Alvin J. Karpis, 24, a convicted robber, were killed. They were part of a detail of five men, including the powerful Frank Lambert, a lone guard, who was with them in the refectory, they thrust him into a refrigerator and slammed the door, about 3 a. m.

Using large sticks taken from an adjacent bakery and nails smuggled from the prison machine shop, the plotters constructed a crude ladder which they carried across the prison yard to the southeast corner. Here they placed the ladder against the wall, and the three men climbed over it. Lambert, who had been in jail at Paterson, N. J., Baltimore, Md., and Trent, N. J., followed him. Still the guards withheld their fire. Then Kilman began his descent, and the order to shoot came.

First Man Shot 12 Times.

Norwick ran straight into one of the two ambulances and fell with 12 shots in his body. Kilman leaped over his body and was caught by the fire. Kilman, still grasping the cable, ran into the fire of the second ambush. He died after the prison hospital.

Inside the walls, which are 20 feet high, some 1800 prisoners heard the shots and started to yell, but they were quieted several hours later, and prison officials said they expected no further trouble. Col. Frank Whipp, State Superintendent of Prisons, was in charge, having taken the place of Warden Harry Hill, who is ill in a Chicago hospital.

Whisperings of the plot reached Warden Hill three weeks ago, before his removal to the hospital, and extra guards were placed to meet the emergency.

Coroner Absolves Guards.

A coroner's jury heard the testimony of Lambert and Col. Whipp today and returned a verdict of death while attempting to escape. None of the guards who participated in the shooting was called to the inquest.

Lambert disclosed that two of the five convicts in the kitchen detail, thought at first to have plotted the escape with the other three, actually were prisoners with him in the ice box.

The guard testified one of the convicts reported the ice box was making and when he went to inspect it Lambert was pushed inside and the door locked. A moment later two of the convicts were shoved inside with him and the door was locked and nailed. The three were locked up for 40 minutes.

Searching Desert for 14 Convicts Who Escaped in Arizona.

By the Associated Press. FLORENCE, Ariz., Feb. 23.—Fourteen convicts, including one murderer, who clambered over the state penitentiary wall here yesterday while a guard was not watching, were being tracked through sagebrush and cactus of the surrounding desert today.

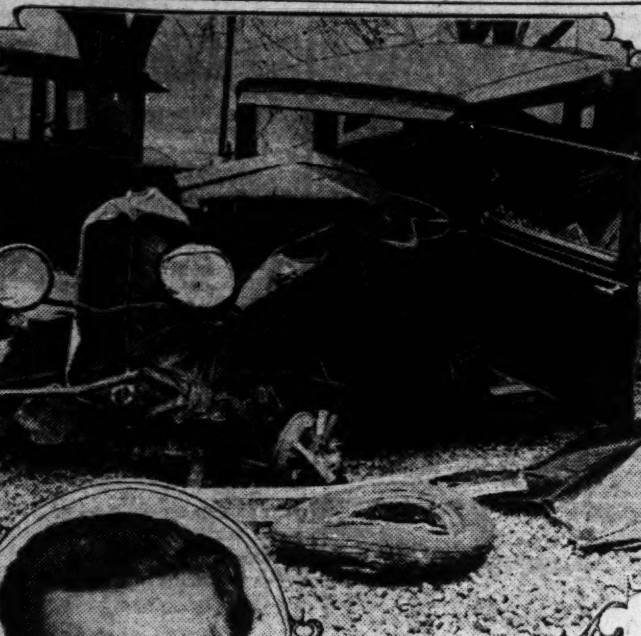
Fifteen escaped, but one was captured. A steel girder, taken from a prison construction job, enabled the convicts to climb to the top of the wall and drop 20 feet to the ground. The last man was seen by a guard as he sprinted for cover.

Warden William Delbridge immediately released bloodhounds and a guard detail. He relieved the wall guard, J. M. Daly, whom he described as "inattentive."

"There was no excuse for it," the warden said.

A baseball game had been in progress in the yard and several hundred prisoners had been taken

Wreck of Auto and Gangster Victim



By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.

ABOVE, the wrecked car of MILTON GODLIE (below), Cuckoo gangster, who was killed. Godlie was speeding away from two police machines when his sedan skidded and struck a building at Manchester and Forest avenues.

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INSURANCE MAN FOUND DEAD IN CHICAGO; POLICE INQUIRY

Family Discovers Body With Rope Around Neck; Murder Possibility Investigated.

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—The body of Walter D. Jacobson, Chicago agent for the Mutual Life Insurance Co., of New York, was found today in his home under conditions which led police to investigate the possibility of murder.

A short rope had been knotted around Jacobson's neck and tied to a door knob. Several chairs in his home had been overturned and the contents of several drawers were strewn about the floor. His pockets were turned inside out and the family said \$800 in bonds could not be found. The body was found by Mrs. Jacobson, two sons and a daughter when they returned home after visiting friends. Jacobson was treasurer of the Progressive Order of the West, a fraternal organization.

An open verdict was returned at a coroner's inquest today in the death of Dr. Claude L. Sellers, a physician with offices in the Cation Building, who was found shot to death with an automatic shotgun in the bathroom of his apartment at 5698 Pershing avenue, Saturday night.

His widow, Mrs. Mildred McCasland Sellers, testified her husband was cleaning his shotgun in the bathroom, preparing for a hunting trip, when she left him alone in the apartment to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Murch in an apartment across the hall. Ten minutes later the shot was heard and they found Dr. Sellers dead.

Mrs. Sellers declared Dr. Sellers was in good spirits and had no troubles, financial or otherwise. Dr. Sellers was 46 years old and had practiced in St. Louis for 20 years.

Police reported finding 24 bottles of beer in the house. They booked Leeder as "suspected of violating the bone-dry law." The other members of the party were questioned, and released.

TWO ARRESTED WHEN DOGS ARE FOUND AT THEIR HOME
Joseph Terranova, 4812 North Broadway, and his son, Nunzio, were arrested yesterday after three hunting dogs, reported missing last November, were found at their home.

On information furnished by William Fischer, 7756 North Broadway, who found his dog at the Terranova home, police recovered dogs belonging to George Behring, 823 McLaran avenue, and William Veder, 1555 Theobald avenue.

Police quote Terranova as saying that he bought the dog claimed by Behring from an unidentified man. The other dogs came into the yard and he took care of them. Terranova said, according to police.

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GAS WELL STILL UNCHECKED
Experts and Apparatus Being Rushed from Oklahoma.

By the Associated Press. CORNING, N. Y., Feb. 23.—The unharmed Meeker well near Toga, Pa., south of here, continued today to shoot forth natural gas at a rate of more than 90,000 cubic feet a day as experts and apparatus were being rushed from Oklahoma to bring it under control.

Officers of the Penn United Co. estimated the loss at \$106,000 a day. The well "blew in" unexpectedly Friday afternoon. It is said to be the largest east of the Mississippi River.

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BONDS RESTORED TO OWNERS
The Grand National Bank, largest individual loser, recovered \$241,000 worth of bonds and its affiliate, the Continental Life Insurance Co., \$95,000 in bonds. The National Indemnity Exchange has recovered bonds worth \$237,000, while the Muckerman Investment Co. and the Sander Real Estate & Investment Co. will get \$160,000 worth of bonds upon application.

The remaining \$59,000 worth of bonds are being returned to 14 safe deposit box customers.

The status of suits concerning the loss of cash and jewelry remains unchanged. Customers reported losses of \$31,000 in cash and \$61,000 worth of jewelry in the burglary. One customer has obtained verdict before a Justice of the Peace for \$750 for lost jewelry.

With the recovery of the bonds the net loss in the burglary has been reduced from \$956,500 to approximately \$275,000, including the payment of the reward.

Bar Association's Grievance Committee Directed to Investigate.

The Executive Committee of the St. Louis Bar Association today instructed the association's grievance committee to make a thorough investigation of the restoration of the stolen bonds to the Grand National Bank, in so far as the transaction "may or might affect or reflect upon the bar or any member thereof."

Joseph L. Lemon, State Representative, who recovered the bonds as attorney for an insurance company, is a member of the Bar Association. The Grievance Committee of the

ANTHONY ITTNER DIES AT 93 AFTER A SHORT ILLNESS

Former Brick Manufacturer—Served in City Council, Both Houses of Legislature and Congress.

Anthony Ittner, 93 years old, former brick manufacturer, who was a St. Louis member of Congress more than a half century ago, died yesterday at his home, 6040 Cates avenue, of pneumonia after two days' illness.

The funeral will be held at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday at the Church of the Unity, 5615 Waterman avenue, with interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery. The body will be at the Wagoner undertaking establishment, 3621 Olive street, until noon Wednesday.

Three sons and three daughters survive Mr. Ittner. One, William B. Ittner, an architect, was formerly architect for the Board of Education and designed Soldard and Cleveland high schools and other modern school buildings here and in other cities. Other sons are Benjamin F. and George W. Ittner and the daughters are Mrs. Isabel Lamont, Mrs. Anne Hulett, New York, and Mrs. Nelle Hulett, Detroit. His wife died seven years ago.

Mr. Ittner was born in Ohio and lived in St. Louis since 1844. He was obliged to go to work at the age of 9 years in a lead factory and three years later in a brickyard. He became proficient in the brickmaker's trade and went into the manufacturing business here and at nearby points in Illinois. He was at various times president of the Builders' Exchange and of the national organizations of builders and of brick manufacturers.

In the Civil War period he served as a member of the Missouri militia, a Unionist force. In the '60s and '70s he served as a member of the City Council and of the lower and upper houses of the Legislature, and in 1876 was elected to Congress, serving one term. He was for a time chairman of the Republican City Committee.

Mr. Ittner was active in promotion of industrial education and was one of the board of managers of a national organization for this purpose. He was one of the early backers of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, the St. Louis World's Fair of 1904, being one of the

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CITY PIONEER DEAD



—Strains Photo. ANTHONY ITTNER.

original advisory committee of 12 of the Missouri Historical Society which put forward in January, 1888, the plan for a celebration. He was a member of the citizens' committee of 200 formed in 1899 to promote the Exposition.

He retired from business 11 years ago, but had continued to be active physically, attended the meetings of the Odd Fellows' lodge every Saturday night and went to church every Sunday morning, having been at church a week ago yesterday. He had been a member of the Odd Fellows since 1864, and had held the chief officer in the State lodge.

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DANCE HALL GANG FIGHT; ONE KILLED

Another Gravely Hurt in Clash of New York Irish and Italian Factions.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The Hooligans, a gang from the Red Hook section of Brooklyn, battled with the Hudson Avenue Boys in a Brooklyn dance hall early today, and one man was killed, another gravely wounded and many slightly injured.

Police said the Hooligans were Irish youths and the Hudson Avenue Boys an Italian faction.

There were between 800 and 1000 men and women, most of the latter girls in their teens, on the floor of Paramount Dancehall when the trouble started. They fought wildly to get to the exits. In the scramble women were trampled underfoot, clothing was torn and faces scratched.

When police arrived friends of Charles Barnes, 24 years old, a chauffeur, were helping him down the stairs. Patrolmen took charge of him, loaded him in an automobile and started for a hospital. Before they got there he was dead from two bullet wounds.

Michael Maselli, 26, was shot by a policeman who said Maselli reached for his hip pocket as though to draw a revolver. The man was believed to be dying at a hospital.

A siren placed on the roof of the dance hall for such emergencies, was the signal which

NO KIDNAPING IDENTIFICATION

Woman Who Was Held for Ransom Views Prisoner.

By the Associated Press.
GREENFIELD, Mo., Feb. 23.—Mrs. Alma Wilson McKinley viewed A. R. Aven in the yard at the Date County Jail here yesterday, but she would not say definitely whether she thought he was the man who kidnapped her from her father's home here last October, and held her captive for 24 hours in an unsuccessful attempt to collect \$50,000 ransom.

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SUICIDE VERDICT IN DEATH

OF MAN RIDING WITH WIFE

Mrs. Wilma Snodgrass Is Chief Witness at Inquest Into Shooting of Husband.

A verdict of suicide was returned by a coroner's jury today in the case of Martin Snodgrass, 26-year-old chauffeur who was shot and killed Saturday night while riding in an automobile with his estranged wife at Grand boulevard and Chouteau avenue.

His widow, Mrs. Wilma Snodgrass, testified she left her husband a week ago, after a quarrel. Saturday night he saw her walking with a girl, and at the point of a pistol, forced her to enter the coupe which he was driving.

He then drove to Grand boulevard and Chouteau avenue, where he shot himself just as a policeman summoned by Mrs. Snodgrass' companion, was running toward the car, Mrs. Snodgrass said.

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SAYS RUSSIANS STARVE TO AID COMMUNISM

Lee Meriwether Discusses Soviet Propaganda for a World Revolution.

The "famine" of food and clothing in Russia was attributed by Lee Meriwether, war-time special envoy of the State Department to France, in yesterday's Community Forum broadcast by KMOX, to the Soviet Government's fanatical determination to spread its Communist theories over the world.

"To do this, vast sums of money are needed," he said. "To obtain that money Russia dumps its foodstuffs and raw materials in foreign markets with little regard to prices."

"Wheat, which, if consumed at home, would keep Russians from starving, is sold at but-trout prices in New York and Chicago."

"Wood, which, burned at home, would prevent Russians from freezing, is sold abroad as lumber."

"Russian butter which costs \$6 a pound in Moscow may be bought for 40 cents in Berlin."

"Eggs which cost 18 cents each in Russia are exported to Germany for 15 cents a dozen."

The money thus obtained by starving Russians at home is used to buy machinery abroad, in the belief that becoming a manufacturing nation will enable Russia to foment revolution in foreign countries.

"That world revolution can be an aim and object of Government seems so absurd to be true, but it is true; Soviet officials and newspapers openly proclaim their purpose to promote world revolution. Pravda, the Government's Moscow organ, preaches world revolution almost daily. In one editorial Pravda says Russia plans to promote world revolution by dumping goods abroad at prices with which it will be impossible for foreigners to compete, thus disorganizing world markets, promoting unemployment and insuring world revolution."

"Mr. Gregori Grinko, Finance Minister of the Soviet Government, indorses Pravda and says their plan is to undermine capitalist stabilization; it is a great plan of world revolution."

"Some Americans, appalled by conditions which for the moment exist in our country, imagine we may improve things by imitating Russia. It is true that some serious evils exist in our government; these evils must be abolished. But in abolishing them, let us not substitute for them still greater evils."

Passive resistance, as practiced by Gandhi, a method which many Christians consider hard to understand, was reduced to striking simplicity by J. H. Grairo, Buddhist president of the Rajah Green Tea Co.

Grairo advanced the idea that Jesus was stating a practical fact—pointing out a potent social force that might operate far this side of the Christian millennium—when He said the meek "shall inherit the earth." Grairo remarked that while "the Christian Occident" based its religious code upon that theory, its practice was "entirely opposite," while Gandhi, not a Christian, dared rely on it in practice.

"His idea is not to drive out the British but to convert them to the mode of reasoning in accord with the ideas of India," said Grairo. "His great passion is for truth and reality. He believes in 'Satyagraha,' truth force opposed to brute force. He sways the destiny of an empire and is about to inaugurate a new era in the East."

PARTY OF SCOTTISH WOOLEN MANUFACTURERS COMING OVER

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The Scottish Woollen Manufacturers' Association today decided to send a delegation to America to study markets in the United States and Canada. The delegation will be accompanied by an official representative of the Government Department of Overseas Trade.

The party will leave England March 4 and after visiting the chief cities in the United States will go from Seattle to Vancouver and thence to Winnipeg, Toronto and Montreal.

James MacPherson Brown, John Hutchison and Edward S. Harrison will make up the delegation from the Woollen Manufacturers' Association and Arthur Mullens will represent the Department of Overseas Trade.

FUNERAL OF ALFRED L. KIEL

Service at 10 A. M. Tomorrow for Former Mayor's Brother.

The funeral of Alfred L. Kiel, plumbing contractor and brother of former Mayor Henry W. Kiel, will be held at the Donnelly undertaking establishment, 5846 Lindell boulevard, at 10 a. m. tomorrow. Interment will be in St. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

Members of the Contracting Plumbers' Association will call at the funeral parlor in a body tonight to pay their respects. Mr. Kiel who was 58 years old, is survived by his widow, his mother, two sons and a daughter, two brothers and a sister. He died of heart disease Saturday night at Missouri Baptist Hospital. The family home is at Manchester and Berry roads.

Tear Bomb Interrupts Movie.

A tear bomb discharged in the Madison Theater, Madison, last night caused about 25 persons to leave the building hurriedly. Herman Steinberg, owner, said that since he was forced to discharge his operator, Dec. 13, because of poor attendance, he had received threats from the operators' union that the theater would be closed. A stench bomb was thrown into the lobby two weeks ago.

WIDOW OF E. B. THOMAS WEDS FOR A THIRD TIME

New York Broker Latest Husband of Divorced Wife of Col. Lytton Ament.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Lucy Cotton Thomas, widow of Edward G. Thomas, publisher and turfman, and divorced wife of Col. Lytton Gray Ament, was married Feb. 7, in Towson, Md., to Lieutenant-Commander Charles Hann Jr., it was learned today.

On the death of Thomas, former owner of the Morning Telegraph, Mrs. Thomas was bequeathed several million dollars and her daughter, Lucetta, was left \$5,000,000. Mrs. Thomas was divorced in Reno, Nev., May 26, 1930, from Col. Ament. Hann is a member of the Wall Street law firm of Hann & Rapp and was a tackle on the Harvard football team in 1910 and 1911.

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THREE MEN KILLED IN CROSSING CRASH

MATTOON, Ill., Feb. 23.—Three men were killed instantly when a Big Four passenger train struck their automobile at a grade crossing near here today. The dead: Walter Harrison, Homer Nottingham and Lovel Wiens, all of Mattoon.

STUDENT FOUND DEAD IN ROOM

Scotland Yard Investigating Tragedy at Cambridge, England.

By the Associated Press.

CAMBRIDGE, England, Feb. 23.—Scotland Yard agents were summoned here today to investigate the death of John Charles Ellis, first year man at Sidney-Sussex College.

Ellis was found this morning dead in his room. He was fully dressed, with a handkerchief tied over his mouth and his hands and ankles tied with handkerchiefs.

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Drainage Bill Indorsed.

The Executive Committee of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce has indorsed the Grant-Smith drainage bill now before Congress.

The bill provides for loans for the redemption of past due bonds and mortgages and warrants with interest against land, levee, and drainage districts from a \$95,000,000 revolving fund.

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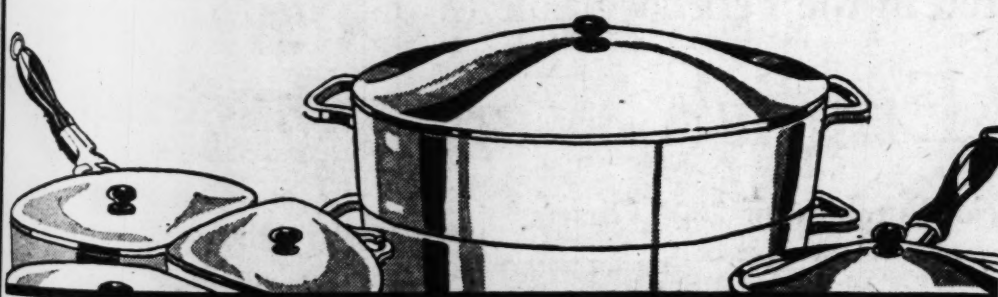
In cherry, oak, or maple finish—which ever best suits your decorative scheme. Refectory table of generous proportions, with 4 chairs, attractively covered.

Buffet to Match...\$22.75

China Cabinet to Match...\$26.50

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A Sale of Tremendous Importance to Thrifty-Minded Homemakers! Many Styles Included!

Housewives... brides-to-be... choose your new kitchen utensils in this special sale! You'll be securing the most healthful, most scientific, and most expensive kinds at prices you would ordinarily expect to pay for average-weight aluminum! This cast aluminum is very heavy, and has been designed expressly for waterless cooking. Included in the sale are:

- Triplicate Saucepan Sets, regularly \$19.95, now...\$6.98
- Teapots, stand and ball, regularly \$7.95, now...\$2.49
- Covered Kettles, 10-qt. size, regularly \$13.75, now...\$4.98
- Double Omelette or Fry Pans, round; reg. \$7.45, now...\$2.98
- Round Roasters, self basting, regularly \$9.60, now...\$3.49
- Round Double Roasters, regularly \$15.45, now...\$4.49
- Oval Roasters, self basting, regularly \$13.95, now...\$4.49
- Double Oval Roaster and Cover, regularly \$15.50, now...\$4.98
- 2-Quart Saucepans and Covers, regularly \$6.60, now...\$1.98
- 3-Quart Saucepans and Covers, regularly \$7.60, now...\$2.49
- 4-Quart Saucepans and Covers, regularly \$8.60, now...\$2.98
- 3-Part Casserole, regularly \$10.60, now...\$2.98
- Sets of Custard Cups, regularly \$1.50, now...69c
- Frying Pans, 6-inch size, regularly \$1.50, now...79c
- Frying Pans, 8-inch size, regularly \$2.15, now...\$1.00
- Pie Racks, regularly priced \$1.75, now...79c

(Fifth Floor and Thrift Avenue, Street Floor.)

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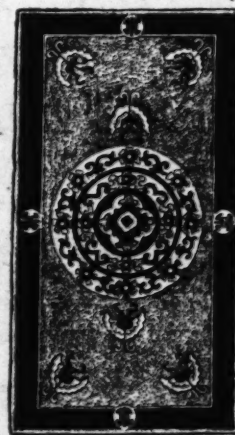
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Sweet young things who need a smooth foundation for their spring frocks will find these Step-Ins excellent. They are fashioned of elastic and crepe de chine and are most comfortable.

Side-Hook Rayon Girdle

Lovely garment fashioned of lustrous rayon satin and with sections of elastic, is also moderately priced at... **\$3.75** (Second Floor.)

HINDENBURG REBUKES GERMAN NATIONALISTS

Says He Is Forced to Get Along Without Their Active Help.

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BERLIN, Feb. 23.—President Von Hindenburg again has placed himself squarely behind the Government headed by Chancellor Brüning, to the great disappointment of the German Nationalists who have hoped that he would throw some of his prestige to the support of their cause.

Answering an appeal from a Nationalist Deputy that he use his power to help the farmers of eastern Germany, Hindenburg, after referring to the steps already taken to that end by the Government, wrote:

"I have heretofore co-operated in this matter and shall continue to do in future. Unfortunately, I have to get along at present without the active help of yourself and your colleagues in the Reichstag in the legislative work of the Reich."

"I must, therefore, answer your appeal to me by directing to you and your party friends an urgent summons not to isolate yourselves in the coming legislative work which is so vitally important for German agriculturists, but to co-operate in it energetically."

Hindenburg's letter, which is published with approving comment by all newspapers except those of the extreme right, is a criticism of the German Nationalists and National Socialists (Fascists) for walking out of the Reichstag. A large number of these Deputies now regret their action.

160,000 Home Guards Parade in Germany.

BERLIN, Feb. 23.—One hundred sixty thousand volunteers, uniformed in khaki, trained and ready for instant service in defense of the German Republic, paraded in various cities of the Reich yesterday.

They were picked members of the Reichsbanner organization of Republican ex-servicemen, formed seven years ago to protect the Republic against its enemies at home.

The marchers wore knapsacks but did not carry weapons. The purpose of the demonstration was to show what kind of citizens were ready to bear arms on the side of the Government in case any attempts are made at its overthrow.

The Berlin demonstration centered in the Lustgarten, where 15,000 uniformed Reichsbanner men and 2000 other supporters of the Republic heard the Reichsbanner chieftain, Friedrich Otto Hoersing, warn radicals of the left and right that the Republic is backed by the people and any attempt to overthrow it is doomed to failure.

"There are 160,000 of our men who have undergone special training in the last few months and are assembled in this very moment throughout Germany," he said.

"We do not want civil war, nor are we trying to 'play soldier.' All we want is to be prepared to defend the republic."

Communists made several attempts to disturb the demonstration but were squelched by police.

Communists and Fascists Clash, Several Hurt.

BRUNSWICK, Germany, Feb. 23.—Clashes between Fascists and Communists resulted in one person being seriously injured and several slightly hurt yesterday.

This followed disorder of Saturday night, when seven persons were injured during a Fascist torch light procession in the presence of Adolph Hitler, chief of the party.

In the excitement of the scrapping, Communists managed to hoist the Red Flag over the State Theater and the Garrison Church, but were soon routed.

WOLFENBÜTTEL, Germany, Feb. 23.—Several hundred Communists who arrived in motor trucks from Hanover, Leine, Peine and other cities for a mass meeting clashed with police yesterday and injured one with stones. The officers retaliated with clubs, injuring eight Reds and scattering the others.

LONGWORTH CERTAIN TO BE G. O. P. CHOICE FOR SPEAKER

Tilson Also Expected to Be Renominated for Floor Leader at Caucus Thursday.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Nicholas Longworth of Ohio is considered certain to be the Republican candidate for Speaker of the next Congress. The selection will be made at the party caucus next Thursday. Longworth is serving his third term in the office. John Q. Tilson of Connecticut is expected to be renominated as Republican floor leader.

A move by Republican Independents has been initiated to obtain liberalization of House rules and patronage recognition. Whatever action is taken along that line, the Independents are not expected to gain much support in any move to oust Longworth.

The Democrats plan to caucus on Dec. 5, two days before the regular session, unless a special session is called. Because of the close division between the Democrats and Republicans neither party knows which will organize. Representative Garner of Texas, the Democratic leader, is slated as his party's candidate for speaker. Should the Republicans organize, Garner would remain minority leader.

25-Ounce Baby One Week Old. By the Associated Press. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 23.—In one week Harvard Louis Hunter has gained one ounce. A doctor's scales yesterday stopped at 25 ounces when the week-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvard J. Hunter was placed on them. The doctor said the baby was healthy.

General Strike Called in Paraguay. By the Associated Press.

ASUNCION, Paraguay, Feb. 23.—The labor unions have called a general strike beginning today and continuing indefinitely until the Government raises the state of siege, or martial law, in the capital and liberates prisoners arrested in recent labor troubles.

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This simple remedy has a remarkable three-fold action. It goes right to the seat of trouble, loosens the germy laden phlegm, and soothes away the inflammation. Part of the medicine is absorbed into the blood, where it acts directly upon the bronchial tubes and thus helps inwardly to throw off the whole trouble with surprising ease. Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway Pine, containing the active agent of creosote, in a refined, palatable form, and known as one of the greatest healing agents for incipient bronchial coughs and other severe coughs due to colds.

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U. S. Public Health Service Studies 1918-19 Epidemic.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The Public Health Service has discovered the popular impression that the influenza epidemic of 1918-19 "hit the rich and poor alike" was true only in part.

Conceding the epidemic of those two years was "very prevalent among all classes of persons," the service says in a statement that detailed studies indicated "the lower the economic level the higher was the attack rate." "This relationship," it says, "was found to persist even after allowance had been made for the influence of the factors of color, sex and age, and certain other conditions." No observations were made in connection with the recent and more mild form of influenza.

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DRASTIC CROP CUT IS FARMER'S ONLY HOPE, SAYS LEGGE

Chairman Reviews Work of Farm Board in Article to Be Published in Agricultural Paper.

"MAKE MORE MONEY BY RAISING LESS"

He Urges Reduction in Production Costs and Adjustment of Output to Potential Demand.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The farmer's only salvation in the opinion of Alexander Legge, whose pending retirement from the chairmanship of the Farm Board has been announced, is "drastic restriction of production."

"The Government," Legge will say in the issue of The Country Home to be published Tuesday, "has backed the Farm Board with a fund of half a billion dollars, and the question is, what has the Farm Board done with that money, and what does it hope to do for the farmer?"

"For 62 months without interruption the visible supply of wheat in this country has been greater than it was in the same month of the preceding year. In July, 1926, the surplus was around 100,000,000 bushels. That was too much. But since then it has grown steadily until in July, 1930, it was 274,000,000 bushels."

"The world market for American wheat is pretty hopeless. American farmers, to sell their wheat abroad now, would have to accept 20 cents less than they are getting at home. The only thing that is keeping foreign wheat from coming into this country now is our tariff of 42 cents."

Must Cut Production Cost. "Our farmers must lower their costs of production on wheat and corn like the men with the steel factories and the automobile factories. But they must also adjust their production to the potential demand. The farmer has never done that."

"It seems to be hard for the farmer to realize he can make more by raising less. Of course, if the price is the same he will make more money when he raises 1000 bushels than when he raises 800 bushels. But if he raises 1000 bushels instead of 800 when 800 is all he can sell, the price won't be the same."

"Look at the potato crop. The market can normally consume 400,000,000 bushels. If the farmers raise 10 per cent less than that, they get a high price and make money. If they raise 10 per cent more they have to accept a ruinous price."

Right now we have an illustration in the livestock industry. Hog production in recent years has been pretty well balanced with demand, and prices have remained steady. There has been overproduction of sheep and prices have collapsed.

Situation in Cotton. "In 1923 the South produced 10,000,000 bales of cotton and sold it for \$1,600,000,000. That looked good for the cotton planter. If he made that much on 10,000,000 bales, what could he do with 11,000,000, 12,000,000, 13,000,000 bales? So he kept increasing his crop until, in 1926, he raised 18,000,000 bales, and for that he got a billion dollars—\$600,000,000 less than for a crop 75 per cent smaller."

"Various plans have been offered to handle the export of the so-called exportable surplus of wheat. Well, my suggestion is to abolish it. What's the use of raising an exportable surplus when there is no place to export it profitably? The farmers must bring about a condition where American farmers will no longer raise wheat for export."

"How are we going to do that? Well, there is only one way—by organization. And this brings us to the major effort of the Farm Board."

"What must be done is to encourage the farmers to join their local co-operatives and to encourage the local co-operatives to become affiliated with the national association. When a majority of the wheat growers belong, the farmers' marketing problem will be well on the way to a solution."

\$140 TAKEN FROM CUSTOMER IN HOLDUP OF DRUG STORE
Proprietor Is Ordered to Basement and \$45 Is Stolen from Cash Register

George W. Nold, proprietor of a drug store at 423 North Illinois avenue, Belleville, and two customers were held up by two armed men who entered the store last night and asked Nold for narcotics. Nold was alone when the robbers entered and was forced to the basement.

While the robbers were searching the store, Miss Emma Hart and Samuel Owens, her escort, both of Belleville, entered the store and were ordered to the basement. The men took \$140 from Owens, \$65 from the cash register of the store and 75 cents from Miss Hart and escaped in an automobile.

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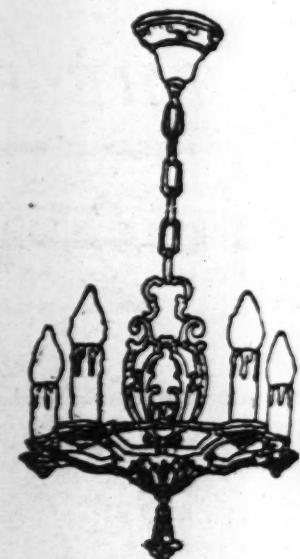
\$375 ARAK; size 12x9	\$195
\$245 GOREVAN; size 12.7x8.3	\$175
\$325 TURKESTAN; size 13.2x9.1	\$278
\$500 KANDAHAR; size 12x9	\$298
\$600 ROYAL SAROUK; size 11.5x8	\$375
\$700 ROYAL SAROUK; size 12.3x9.2	\$450

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2-Lt. Ceiling Fixture
4 1/4-Inch Drop, 12 1/4-Inch Spread. In ivory and pastel finish; for bedrooms..... \$1.62
Lighting Fixture Store—Fourth Floor.

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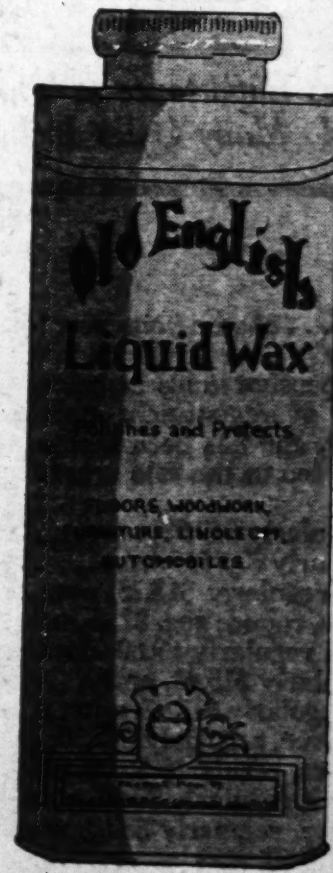
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Old English Liquid Wax not only cleans as it goes, but revives and beautifies the original finish of the floor and deposits a thin protective film which prevents heel marks and scratches. Also restores the luster to woodwork and may be used on the most delicately finished furniture.



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Housewares Shop—Downstairs.



SOVIET TO PROSECUTE NOTED ECONOMISTS

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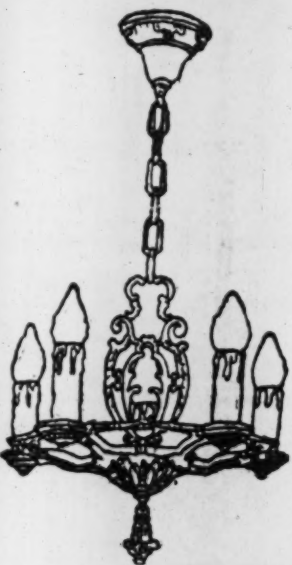
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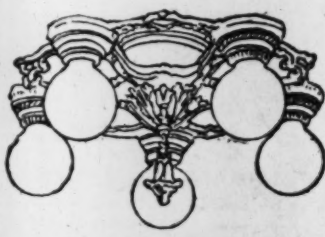
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FATALLY STABBED IN SHED

Jobless Man Had Told Wife He Intended to Kill Self.

Frank Ehrhardt, 56 years old, died in City Hospital today, an hour after he had been taken from a coal shed at the rear of his home, 4408 North Nineteenth street, where he was found stabbed and mutilated. His wife said that when she found him he told her the wounds were self-inflicted. She was held for the Coroner's inquest, but police officials expressed the opinion that the case would be found to be one of suicide.

The stab wound in Ehrhardt's breast, which caused death was inflicted with an ice pick. A hatchet and saws, which had inflicted other wounds, also were found. Ehrhardt, formerly employed in Granite City, had been out of work several months and was in poor health. His wife said he had made several threats to end his life.

Industrialization plan which was translated into many languages. Soukhanov also is noted as an economist and historian. His long history of the Soviet revolution is recognized as a textbook.

The present Russian Communist party is an outgrowth of the old Russian Social Democratic party, which was founded in the latter part of the past century on the principles of Karl Marx. Later it broke up into two parties, the Bolsheviks and the Mensheviks. Members of the latter, which holds more moderate views than the Bolsheviks, make up the new Social Democratic party.

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

VOYAGE UNDER NEW SKIPPER

Reaches New York From Cobb, Cutting Six Hours From Its Best Previous Time.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The St. Louis of the Hamburg-American line, which arrived from Cobb yesterday under a new skipper, Capt. Walter Dost, cut 6 hours and 20 minutes from its best previous time for the run. The steamship made the crossing in 7 days, 13 hours and 35 minutes. Capt. Dost attributed his speedy trip to favorable weather all the way across.

The new skipper has been with the line since 1900, mostly in freighter work. During the World War he served in the German navy as first officer on the Kaiserin Augusta Victoria and as Captain-Lieutenant on the battleship Schleswig-Holstein.

Arriving on the St. Louis were Dr. Georg Ahrens, German Consul at St. Louis; Mrs. Sophie Ziegler, niece of the late Albert Ballin, founder of the Hamburg-American line; and Joseph Feust and Arthur S. Jaeger, who spent five months in Egypt in the interest of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Five Caught in Avalanche, Two Saved.

By the Associated Press.

INNSBRUCK, Austria, Feb. 23.—An avalanche descending from 6800 feet down the sides of Ratscherkofel today buried five Vienna tourists on the Lanseralm pasture. Two of the five men managed to extricate themselves, but three were buried beneath the snow and are thought to be dead.

1295 DEATHS FROM LIQUOR

IN NEW YORK CITY IN 1930

Alcoholics Poisoning Killed 625, With Increase 40 Per Cent in Wood Alcohol Fatalities.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Alcoholics poisoning killed 625 persons in New York City in 1930 and in all about 1295 persons died as a direct or indirect result of liquor, the annual report of Chief Medical Examiner Charles Norris discloses. This is seven less than for 1929.

Although the record would indicate that slightly more than 100 persons a month were killed from the use of liquor, Dr. Norris pointed out that the cases listed were only those coming to the attention of his office.

Wood alcohol deaths, the report indicates, increased about 40 per cent, or from 58 deaths in 1929 to 75 deaths last year. A number of such deaths were attributed to the mixing of automobile anti-freezing solutions.

Examinations of several victims' organs also indicated, the report continued, that death was caused by poisonous denaturants used only by the Government in its attempt to stop the diversion of industrial alcohol.

"Alfalfa Bill" Changes Barbers.

By the Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., Feb. 23.—A barber who accidentally let his razor slip while shaving Gov. W. H. (Alfalfa) Bill Murray in the Capitol barber shop recently, has been notified by a member of the State Board of Affairs that his contract with the State for use of the shop will be terminated. The barber, C. H. Riggs, has operated the shop several years.

WON'T DISCLOSE SPONSORS

OF TEACHERS' ONE-YEAR BILL

Representative Davies Says He Might Tell Who They Are at End of Week.

State Representative Joseph W. Davies of St. Louis, who introduced the bill pending in the Legislature to give public school teachers here one-year instead of permanent appointments, told the Post-Dispatch today he would not state at whose request the bill was presented. He bore the name of Representative Hehl also, but Hehl said it was brought in by Davies by request.

Davies declared that several individuals had asked him to present the bill and that he might tell who they were at the end of the week. Expressing a belief that it was a good bill, he indicated his chance of passage appeared to be slim.

Teachers and principals here are opposed to the bill, saying the teaching corps would have to play politics to obtain reappointments if this became law, and insisting that the effect would be to upset morale and adversely affect the teaching. Superintendent of Instruction Gerling and a majority of the Board of Education have stated opposition to the measure.

Formerly, teachers here were appointed for one year, but the Grade Teachers' Association attacked this board rule in the courts and it was invalidated by a decision of the Supreme Court of Missouri on April 29, 1922.

The Grade Teachers' Association will hold a mass meeting for all members of the corps at Soldan High School at 4:30 p. m. tomorrow to protest against the bill.

\$100,000 BUDGET FOR CHURCH

Second Presbyterian Congregation Opens Campaign for Funds.

The congregation of Second Presbyterian Church, Taylor avenue and Westminster place, opened a campaign yesterday to obtain \$100,000, representing the church's budget for the year beginning April 1. A canvass of the 1459 members of the congregation was begun by 50 members of the Finance Committee.

The Rev. Dr. John W. MacIvor, pastor of the church, spoke on "The Treasury Test" at the morning services and Alfred Shapleigh told of the necessity of raising the budget, \$40,000 of which will go for missions and other outside benevolences.

Freshing National Park Bill.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LACLEDE, Mo., Feb. 23.—The Gen. John J. Pershing National Park Association received notice today that Congressman Ralph Loefer of the Second Missouri district introduced a bill in Congress Friday providing for the establishment of the Gen. John J. Pershing National Military Park near Laclede and calling for an appropriation of \$250,000 for carrying out the provision of the act. The bill was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

Laymen's Mutual League Election.

Officers of the Laymen's Retreat League were elected recently as follows: T. O. Mooney, President; Festus J. Wade Jr., vice president; Dr. Alphonse McMahon, secretary; E. L. Gross, treasurer. The league sponsors week-end retreats for men at the White House on the Mississippi River below Jefferson Barracks. Last year more than 1200 men attended the retreats.

Four Killed in Oil Well Blast.

PORT ARTHUR, Tex., Feb. 23.—Four men were killed in an explosion of a high pressure still at the Gulf Oil Refinery here last night. The dead are Joseph E. Whittington, 35, assistant still man, and three Negro workmen. The blast was heard for miles. Hundreds of windows were shattered. Fire broke out, but was confined to the still.

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	Was	Now		Was	Now
27x54 in.	\$ 4.50	\$ 3.50	8.3x10.6 ft.	\$44.50	\$36.50
36x63 in.	6.95	5.75	9x15 ft.	66.75	51.50
4.6x6.6 ft.	14.85	12.25	9x18 ft.	85.00	68.00
6x9 ft.	27.00	22.75	11.3x12 ft.	67.50	54.50
7.6x9 ft.	33.25	26.75	11.3x15 ft.	82.50	67.50

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"A" Gauge Marbleized, per sq. yd.	2.70	2.15	
"B" Gauge Embossed, per sq. yd.	2.25	1.85	
"D" Gauge Inlaid, per sq. yd.	1.95	1.55	

Floorcoverings—First Floor.

Some Sale Specials in FURNITURE

These Suites are chosen for the fine savings and desirability they afford. Each one is a true value in every way. Each one is evidence of the fact that furniture is lower now than for many years past. See these Tuesday.

BEDROOM FURNITURE

	Was	Now
6-Piece Suite, in mahogany.....	\$250	\$175
5-Piece Suite, in walnut	260	198
4-Piece Suite, in maple, Colonial style.....	325	260
4-Piece Colonial Suite, in maple.....	345	267
4-Piece Walnut Suite, inlaid	395	295
6-Piece Suite, in mahogany, inlaid.....	395	310
6-Piece Colonial Suite, in walnut, with twin beds	450	350
5-Piece Suite, walnut and hardwood.....	500	425

DINING-ROOM FURNITURE

	Was	Now
9-Piece English Suite, in walnut	270	\$215
10-Piece Moderne Suite, in walnut	360	260
9-Piece Suite, in walnut and maple.....	390	265
9-Piece Walnut Queen Anne Suite	325	267
10-Piece English Suite, in oak	350	270
9-Piece Walnut Suite, inlaid	375	295
9-Piece Sheraton Suite, in mahogany	450	365
10-Piece XVIII Century Inlaid Mahogany Suite	895	750

Furniture—Fifth, Sixth, Seventh Floors.

CURTAINS AND DRAPERIES

RUFFLED CURTAINS—Pin and coin dots, novelty figures on good quality grenadine—also plain French marquisette—in ivory and ecru, 42 in. wide by 2 1/2 yds. long. Were \$3.00 pair, now

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Were \$5.50 to \$6.50. Now \$4.25 pair.

Were \$6.50 to \$7.00. Now \$5.25 pair.

The Drapery Shop—Second Floor.

DAMASKS—Drapery Damasks of rayon and cotton and mercerized cotton in an amazing number of lovely colors, monotone and duo-tone effects, and multi-color designs. All 50-in. wide and sunfast.

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Feb. 28
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\$6

Feb. 27, 28
Leave St. Louis at or after 9 pm Friday and at or after 9 am Saturday of dates shown. Return on any train leaving Chicago not later than Monday noon following. (See Note A).

NOTE A. The \$5 and \$6 tickets are good in coaches only. Children half fare. No baggage checked.

\$12

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Leave St. Louis Friday at or after 9 pm and on all trains Saturday. Return limit fifteen days. Tickets good in chair car and coaches; also in parlor and sleeping cars on payment of usual seat or berth fares. Children half fare. Baggage checked.

Tickets good on effective dates on specified trains leaving St. Louis for Chicago over the railroads shown below:

For further information, reservations and tickets ask—
**Chicago & Eastern Illinois
Illinois Central Railroad
Wabash Railway**

STENCH BOMB THROWN INTO JEFFERSON HALL DURING DANCE

A stench bomb was thrown through a window at Jefferson Hall, Saturday night, while a dance was in progress. Fred Smith, manager of the hall, attributed the attack to the fact that non-union musicians were employed for the dance. The person throwing the missile fled. Stench bombs recently have been thrown on the dance floors at the Liederkreis Club and at Tower Grove Turner Hall.



COMMERCE CHAMBER STAND ON LEGISLATION

Executive Committee Expresses Views of Membership in State Measures.

The Executive Committee of the Chamber of Commerce today announced its stand on several measures pending in the Legislature. The committee, acting for the membership of the Chamber of Commerce:

Opposes House bill 104, which proposes repeal of the workmen's compensation law. "The present law is operating to the satisfaction of employers and employees, and industry is unalterably opposed to a return to the old system," the committee says.

Opposes House bill 119, providing that eight hours shall constitute a legal day's work for public employees, except those in farm or domestic service, unless otherwise provided by law. "The bill is not clear in its provisions, and might be made applicable to all employees other than those in farm and domestic service."

Opposes House bill 70, which would forbid sale of tobacco in places where other goods are sold, and prohibiting sale to minors.

Opposes House bill 80, which would exempt any debt, income, salary or wage, from attachments and executions. At present 10 per cent of any such amount due the head of a family is exempt. "The bill is rather drastic."

Opposes Senate bills 18-19 and House bills 65-66, which provide for an occupation tax on fire and tornado insurance companies, for benefit of firemen's pension funds. "The measures are wrong in principle; the sums collected would be an additional burden on policy holders and would result in increase of rates."

Opposes Senate bill 112 and

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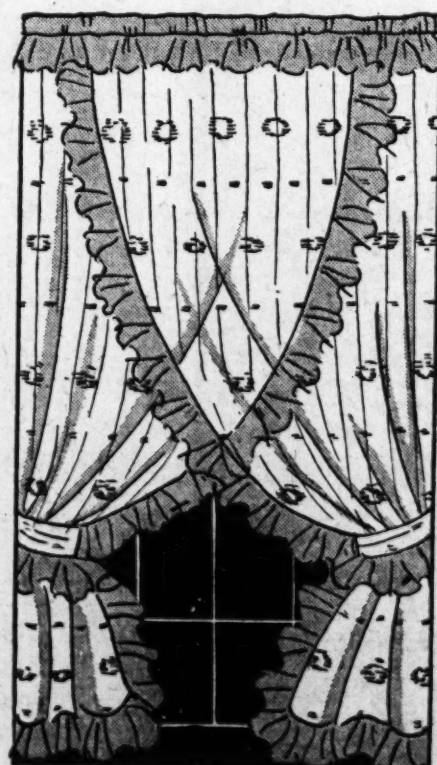
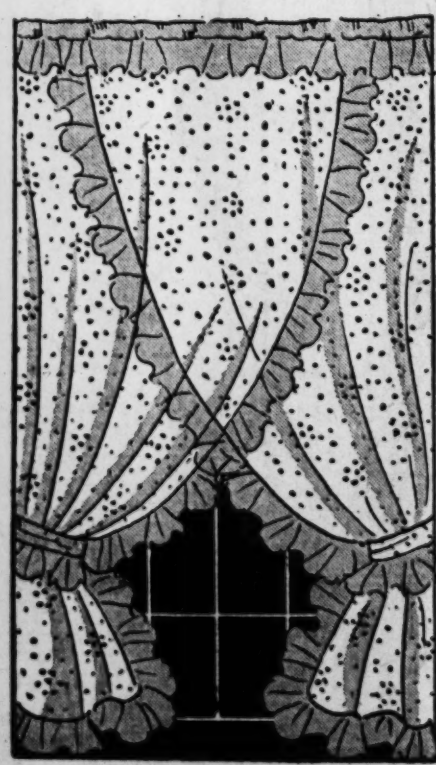
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Pair

These are attractively colored dotted grenadines in tints of rose, blue, peach, gold, orchid and ivory. Also point d'Esprit dotted effects with solid pastel ruffles. All have rod ruffle at top so they are ready to hang at once! 50 inches wide!

\$1 50-in. Drapery Damask; colorful designs 79c
39c and 45c Crash Cretonnes; 36 in. wide... 29c
29c to 49c Fancy Colored Figured Grenadines... 19c
85c Domestic Holland Window Shades; complete, 39c

Nugents, Third Floor—Some Items at Nugents Uptown and Wellston Stores



House bill 24, providing that unclaimed refunds of excess insurance charges shall revert to the State. "Would be disastrous to the insurance business, and its constitutionality is questioned; would yield the State little."

Opposes Senate bill 34, requiring that endorsement or limited payment life policies shall provide for payment, in addition to face of policy, of any amount paid over and above a whole life premium. "A policy such as contemplated by the bill could not be written; the higher premium found in endorsement and limited payment policies are required for the added benefits."

Opposes House bills 109 and 83, the first increasing and the second decreasing interest rates on small loans.

Two Bills Approved. Approves House Bill 110 and Senate bill 55, prepared by the Automobile Club of Missouri, to modernize the State motor vehicle code.

Approves House bill 105, permitting the Federal Government to acquire more land in the State for reforestation purposes. "It is an

enabling act, and its passage is necessary if the Government is to go ahead with plans for two forest reserves in Missouri, now under consideration."

Opposes House bills 44 and 45, increasing policemen's vacation periods from 26 to 62 days a year, and authorizing police captains to arrange vacation schedules. Instead, the committee recommends that a two weeks' vacation be added to the present 26 days off, which is one day off every two weeks, and that the Chief of Police should be responsible for the schedules.

Warns Against Big Wage Cuts. By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—A warning against widespread wage cuts as an aid to business recovery is sounded in a statement by the Foreman-State National Bank. The statement says that, although price declines have in a measure served to restore purchasing power, a curtailing of wages would react unfavorably on the now fairly stabilized commodity markets, and cause further delay in return to normal business.

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(Laclede 9510)

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2800 Delmar
(CABany 8297)

East St. Louis Light & Power Co.
7 Collinsville Ave., East St. Louis, Ill.

Wellston
6304 Franklin
(MULberry 8000)

Maplewood
7179 Manchester Av.
(Hiland 4570)

Webster Groves
231 W. Lockwood Av.
(Hiland 3401)

or
(Webster 3000)

Illinois Power & Light Co.
Granite City, Madison and Venice, Ill.

Other Authorized Dealers

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Biederman Furniture Co., 801-811 Franklin
Franklin Furniture Co., 1029 Franklin
Hollman & Grinn Furniture Co., 900 Washington
Hib Furniture Co., 701 Washington
Quality Furniture Co., 8th and Franklin
St. Louis House Furnishing Co., 903 Franklin
Stein Furniture Co., 903 Franklin
Union House Furnishing Co., 1128 Olive

NORTH

Alt Furniture Co., 2805 N. Grand
Dan, The House Furnisher, Grand at St. Louis
Davis Furniture Co., 4226 N. Broadway
Eagle Furniture Co., 1516 Franklin
Electric Appliances Co., 921 N. Kingshighway
Ellerman's Home Furnishings, 4106 N. 25th
Gaertner Electric Co., 3521 N. Grand
Gottmann-Parker Furniture Co., 3206 N. Broadway
Gottmann-Parker Furniture Co., 4708 Easton
Gregory Furniture Co., 1215 North Market
Gregory Furniture Co., 4226 N. Broadway
Hansbrough Electric Co., 1724 N. Union
Kasand-Groves Furniture Co., 2007 N. 16th
Kremer's Furniture Co., 3008 Salisbury
Mehner-Schene Hardware Co., 4909 Natural
Moore Furniture Co., 2104 East Grand
Oak Radio & Electric Co., 1010 W. Florissant
Quality Furniture Co., 1424 Franklin
Reisen Appliances Co., 4023 W. Florissant
Reisen-Schwartz Furniture Co., 2000 N. 24th

SOUTH

Affolder Furniture Co., 2304 S. Broadway
Alt Furniture Co., 1518 S. Broadway
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Bighite Electric Co., 4545 Gravois
Bremer Hardware Co., 6021 Gravois
Dan, The House Furnisher, 3409 S. Jefferson
Dan, The House Furnisher, 427 Schiller
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Heas-Dickman Furniture Co., 2816 Chippewa
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Landel Radio-Electric Co., 5527 S. Grand
McCurran Electric Shop, 5051 Gravois
Moore Electric Appliance Co., 3147 Cherokee
Roach Furniture Co., 1543 S. Broadway
Roach Furniture Co., 4748 Gravois
Roach Furniture Co., 7001 Ivy
Schubert Furniture Co., 2558 Cherokee
Schubert Furniture Co., 2524 S. Broadway
Schubert Furniture Co., 2525 S. Grand
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Spielberg Furniture Co., 1300 S. Broadway
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Garfield 8900

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Nation-Wide Milk
Rich and Wholesome

For all cooking purposes, Nation-Wide Milk is a preferred food, adding a delicious richness and tastiness. It is of uniform quality and always dependable.



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Breast-o'-Chicken FANCY TUNA
For Distinctive Dishes and Savory Sandwiches



OVER-NITE
Here's a new system that enables you to send your laundry any day except Saturday before 3 p. m. and get it back the following morning before 9 a. m.
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Quickly Heals Embarrassing Skin Irritations
Often overnight this soothing ointment causes an ugly pimple, bit of rash, or roughness to disappear. Even for more serious or stubborn skin disorders Resinol has proved to possess almost startling powers of relief and healing. Sold by all druggists. Sample sent free. Write to Resinol, Department 76, Baltimore, Md.

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NATION-WIDE CHILI SAUCE
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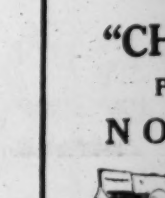
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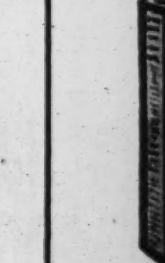


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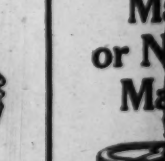


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NATION-WIDE STORES *Recipe* CONTEST



RULES OF CONTEST

1. Address all communications to the Contest Editor, Nation-Wide Stores, 8th and Clark, St. Louis, Mo.
2. The Contest is open to all women and will run for 20 consecutive weeks, beginning Monday, January 26, and ending the week of June 7, 1931.
3. The Contest is open to all except the employees of the Nation-Wide Stores and their families, or any employee or his family of the firm whose product is the prize subject for this week.
4. Every woman is eligible to submit a recipe each week. You can win a prize each week.
5. Write a recipe including Fuji Products, which is the prize subject this week.
6. In your recipes, specify the amount of each ingredient used, the process of mixing, the manner of serving, and, if cooked, the time required. Recipes must mention a product used, such as Aro Butter, Hardy's Salt, Jack Frost Baking Powder, etc.
7. Write clearly, with pen or pencil or type your recipes on one side of the paper—one recipe to each sheet. Be sure to include your name and address ON THE SAME PAGE with your recipe.
8. Recipes will be judged by the food manufacturer for originality and culinary merit. The decision of the judges is final.
9. You may submit as many recipes each week as you desire.
10. Recipes must be mailed by midnight Friday, February 27th, to be eligible for this week's prize.
11. The prize winning names on Fuji Products will be posted on all Nation-Wide Stores on Tuesday, March 10th. Watch for them!

MORE THAN \$3,000.00 in Cash Prizes! JUST WRITE A RECIPE

Here Is Your Opportunity to Earn a Cash Prize Each Week... and to Be Among the Grand Prize Winners. A Cook Book for Every Participant.

Fun, writing recipes! It is a pleasure to make up these attractive food combinations. With money for doing something you like to do. Simple, too! Imagine if you can, being winner of one of the 30 prizes, offered each week. Or you may experience that happy surprise of being the winner of the grand prize of \$500.00. Someone will get it. Why not try for it? Take a few minutes to think out a prize winner. Send it at once. Look for next week's contest—try again. Interesting, isn't it?

The contest will continue for 20 weeks.

The 20 first weekly prize winners will be the winners of the grand prizes. Some of these will get more but none less than \$35.00.

These grand prize awards will be made at the end of the 20 weeks. All the weekly awards will be made as soon as the judges announce the winners.

Regardless of whether or not you win a prize, you will receive one of the cook books containing the recipes of the 1st, 2d and 3d weekly prize winners if you enter the contest with a recipe.

See the list of cash prizes. Read and follow the rules—that is very important.

Your recipe must include Fuji Products, the article featured this week.

Address your recipe to: Recipe Contest Dept., Nation-Wide Stores, 8th and Clark Av., St. Louis, Mo.



NATION-WIDE CHILI SAUCE

Mary had a little lamb... Sunday the family again enjoyed it Monday evening with Nation-Wide Chili Sauce.

JACK FROST BAKING POWDER

White Sponge Cake

Whites five eggs, 1 cup flour, 1 cup sugar, 1 teaspoon Jack Frost Baking Powder, vanilla flavoring; bake in quick oven.

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A Food—Vital as Sunshine

"CHECKER" PURE EGG NOODLES

Made From Fresh Eggs and Flour

Deliciously Different

Nation-Wide Milk

Rich and Wholesome

For all cooking purposes, Nation-Wide Milk is a preferred food, adding a delicious richness and tastiness. It is of uniform quality and always dependable.

OUR MOTHER'S COCOA

When you make cocoa from OUR MOTHER'S COCOA then you have a truly delicious as well as a most nutritious drink.

GOLDEN HARVEST EXTRA LARGE GREEN SPINACH

Through the "window" in the front of the carton you can see the clean quality of nourishing Golden Harvest products.

COMET RICE

Your family will enjoy Spanish Rice... Rice Bread... Rice Corn Bread... Rice Cakes... Rice Croquettes... and Rice Waffles if they are made with COMET RICE.

Breast-o'-Chicken FANCY TUNA

For Distinctive Dishes and Savory Sandwiches

Manhattan or Nation-Wide Mayonnaise

SALMON SALAD

One can of salmon, two hard-boiled eggs chopped fine, a pinch of salt, add cracker crumbs and pickle to suit taste. Serve with mayonnaise dressing.

ANNOUNCEMENT WRITE YOUR RECIPE THIS WEEK ON

Famous



Fuji



BRAND

Chop Suey Products
FUJI Chop Suey Sauce—FUJI Bean Sprouts
FUJI Chow Mein Noodles—FUJI Chop Suey Vegetables

A Special Combination Sale Price

86c

The Four Items (One of Each)

AT ALL NATION-WIDE STORES

Fuji Chop Suey products in every respect comply with the U. S. Pure Food Laws, guaranteeing first quality and complete satisfaction to all users. During the Lenten season you will enjoy using them in combination with shrimp or crab-meat, in a variety of ways. They are prepared under the most rigid sanitary methods of manufacture.

Ask Your Nation-Wide Service Grocer for a FREE Fuji Recipe Booklet

Grand Prize \$500.00

2^d \$200...3^d \$100...4th \$75...5th \$50

6th to Last, Same as Weekly, \$35 Each

Here Are the Weekly Prizes

1st Prize—Eligibility to Grand Prizes with assurance of	\$35.00	4th	10.00
2d	25.00	5th	5.00
3d	15.00	25—\$1.00 Prizes	25.00

SPEND WISELY... AT NATION-WIDE STORES

Each Store Individually Owned

Breast-O'-Chicken Tuna No. 1/2 size can	23c	Ritter's Spaghetti 3 cans	25c
Our Mother's Cocoa 1-lb. can	17c	Comet White Rice ... 2 pkgs.	17c
A pure superior cocoa		Keeps indefinitely... special process	

GOLDEN HARVEST—THIRD WEEK PRIZE WINNERS
Names Announced at Your Nearest Nation-Wide Store
On Special Poster Tuesday, February 24th

Listen in Over KMOX 11:15 A.M. Daily

NATION-WIDE SERVICE GROCERS

The Nation-Wide Vagabonds 11:15 A.M. Over KMOX

COB CUT CORN

Try This Recipe
Fry 3 slices of bacon, then remove from pan but keep hot. Add 1 finely minced onion and 1 teaspoon chopped parsley to the bacon fat and saute well. Add 1 can drained tomatoes, 1 can seasoned Cobcut Corn and simmer. Serve with bacon strips on top.

Serve This Corn as You Would the Fresh Product



ARO BUTTER

Jam Pudding

One cup jam, 1/4 cup ARO BUTTER, four eggs; bake fifteen minutes; serve hot with whipped cream.

HARDY'S IODIZED SALT



TASTES GOOD, TOO!
Hardy's Iodized Salt possesses medicinal qualities which blend right in with the delicate salt flavor... and does not affect it in the least.

NATION-WIDE Sweet Peas



Packed within a few hours after they are picked from the vines, Nation-Wide Sweet Peas... a selected crop... bring you the pleasure of eating green peas with all their natural pea flavor.

FUJI CHOP SUEY SAUCE

Adds rare relish to fish, fowl, steaks, roasts or gravies.

Note Chop Suey recipe on label.

Supreme in flavor and quality. Costs less, too. Approved by Good Housekeeping Institute. Preferred by the American Housewife.



AIRY FAIRY CAKE FLOUR



Three eggs, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup AIRY FAIRY FLOUR, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 cup sweet milk. Bake in shallow pan in moderate oven. Turn out of pan at once, spread with jelly and roll.

WELCH Grape Juice

"The National Drink"

For a light appetizing dinner drink dilute Welch's with one-third water. It makes a royal social drink.



Ritter's Spaghetti



Your family will enjoy the deliciousness of Ritter's Spaghetti, so easy to serve.



DWARFIES
A richer, more delicious whole wheat breakfast food—fit for a king, but unusually low priced for such a wonderful product.

HAN-DEE BREAD
Sliced Ready to Serve
22 SLICES
10c

**DOUBLE
EAGLE
STAMPS
TUESDAY**

FAMOUS-BARR CO.'S BASEMENT ECONOMY STORE

We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps

Operated by The May Dept. Stores Co.

The Last Tuesday to Share in These February Events!

SUITS COATS



Newly Arrived Spring
Styles... and Smart
"Maybill" Garments at

\$15.75

¶ You'll find values that are hard to equal in this interesting assortment of colorful new suits! Better tailoring and fabrics than have been found in years in clothes at this price! Wool Worsteds in single or double breasted styles.

**TOPCOATS
\$12.75**

Smart tweeds in a variety of colorful patterns. Belted or plain backs. Sizes 34 to 44.

Basement Economy Store

They're Here in Jaunty
New Styles... Very
Specially Offered at

\$18

¶ Coats that are NEW and utterly DIFFERENT... at a price within the reach of the thrifty! Cleverly fashioned of the new loosely woven fabrics! Uniquely trimmed with light Summer furs! Featuring youthful throws and Ascot ties!

**Striking Bright
Shades
Predominate!**

Red... Green... Blue...
Beige... and, of course,
the always-smart Black!

Basement Economy Store



Starting Tuesday... Our February Sale of Corsettes

Wear Today's Fashions in Perfect Form!
Choose Now at Extreme Savings!



59c and 69c
Bandeaux
39c

Assortment includes various styles, colors and materials. Also H. & W. brand.

**\$4 Rengo Belt
Corsettes
\$2.85**

¶ A model that will do wonders for the figure! Made of pink broche, combined with elastic. With underbelt. Top of swami cloth. Good size range.

**H. & W. Corsettes
\$2.50 to \$3.50 values. Princess and modified styles. Some of brocade. Others with jersey busts.
\$1.95**

**New \$3 Corsettes
Lightweight... with underbelts. Confines... and is comfortable.
\$1.85**

**\$3.50 and \$4
Princess Girdles
\$2.45**

¶ Slenderizing Girdles to wear under Spring frocks! Front-clasp and side-hook styles. Of brocade combined with elastic. Good size range.

**Princess Girdles
\$2.50 value! All side-hook models. Made of fancy brocade. Lightly boned. Elastic panels in skirts.
\$1.65**

**75c & \$1 Brassieres
H. & W. kinds. A wide variety of styles in several materials.
59c**

Basement Economy Store

Frocks

Direct From New
York... in Chic
Styles... at Extreme Savings!

\$6.85

Refreshingly new Frocks... offered at a most amazing price! Prints and crepes in youthful modes!

**Sunday Night Frocks!
Ensembles! Jacket Frocks! Shown in the new hi-lite shades... gay prints and black!
Sizes 14 to 44.**

Select One or More
NOW... and Save!

Basement Economy Store



Think of It! You Can Choose Any of These Matching Bedroom Pieces

**\$29.50 to \$39.50
Values!**

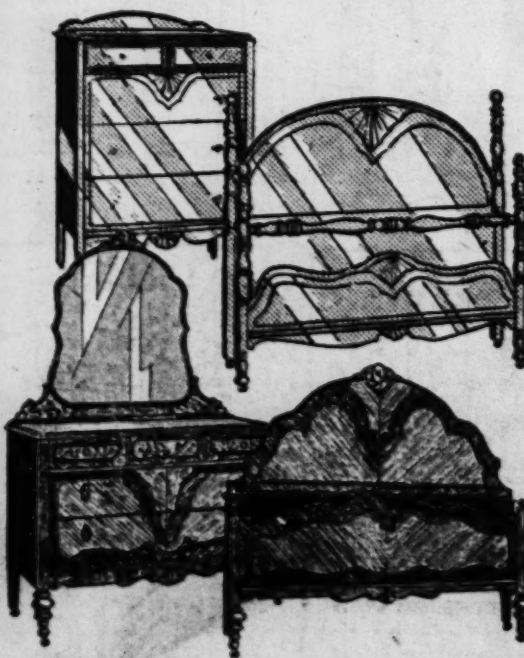
In the February
Furniture Sale at

\$24 EACH

¶ You may select that odd piece you've always needed... or several pieces to match for your bedroom... now... at a saving! Choice of large dressers, attractive vanities, full size panel or poster beds or roomy chests.

**Each Piece Handsomely
Finished in Walnut Veneer
... Several Styles!**

Basement Economy Store



SALE! SPARTON 10-Tube Radios

Of Nationally Popular

**Current
Model**

AT SURPRISING SAVINGS

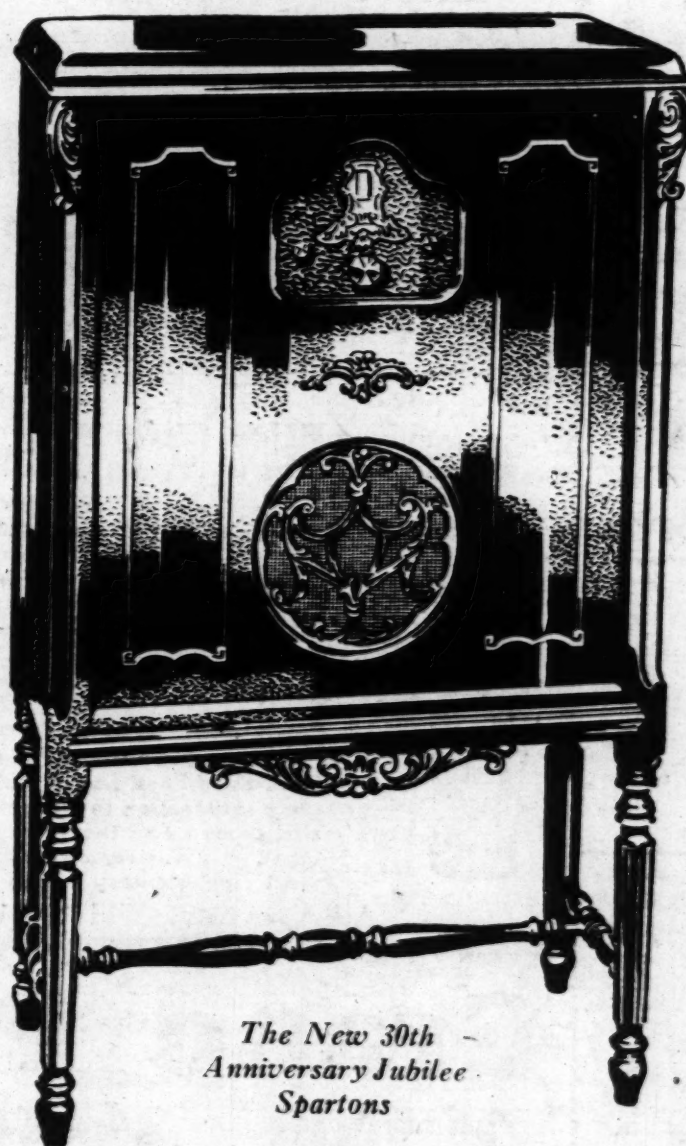
This Tremendous Offering Starts Tuesday at Nine O'Clock! It's Only Because the Local Distributor Had a Surplus Stock That You Can Buy These Wonderfully Efficient Radios at Such Extremely Low Prices! Hear Them... the First Day!

**"Radio's
Richest Voice"**

At a lower price than you probably even imagined possible!

For 30 years the name Sparton has meant quality and satisfaction... and it always will. This is one of the biggest and best radio-buying opportunities you could have!

Distinctive
Cabinets
of Superb
Beauty!



Sparton Lowboy

Model 593

LESS TUBES

\$71

Complete With 10 Sparton Tubes... \$99.50
Installed in Your Home

¶ We can't say enough about the Sparton... its performance is so magnificent! We couldn't say too much about this value... it's so supreme! Amazingly sensitive, the Sparton penetrates to extreme distances, yet it's so sharply selective that you can use its tremendous power fully without interference from close-in stations... and there's "face-to-face realism" in its tone!

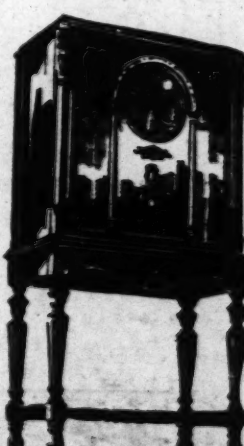
**\$9.95 Cash Plus Small Carrying
Charge—Balance Monthly**

**Model 589
10-Tube Highboy**

Less Tubes

\$96.50

Complete... \$125



**Model 610
10-Tube Highboy**

Less Tubes

\$112.50

Complete... \$141

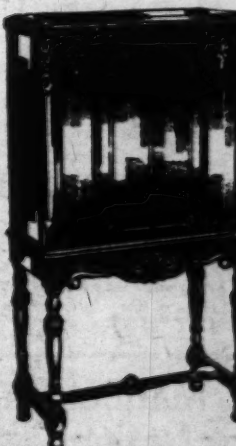


**Model 620
10-Tube Highboy**

Less Tubes

\$127.50

Complete... \$156



**Model 4206-Tube
Jewel Console**

Less Tubes

\$68.10

Complete... \$88



Radio Section—Eighth Floor

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

OPERATED BY THE MAY DEPT. STORES CO.

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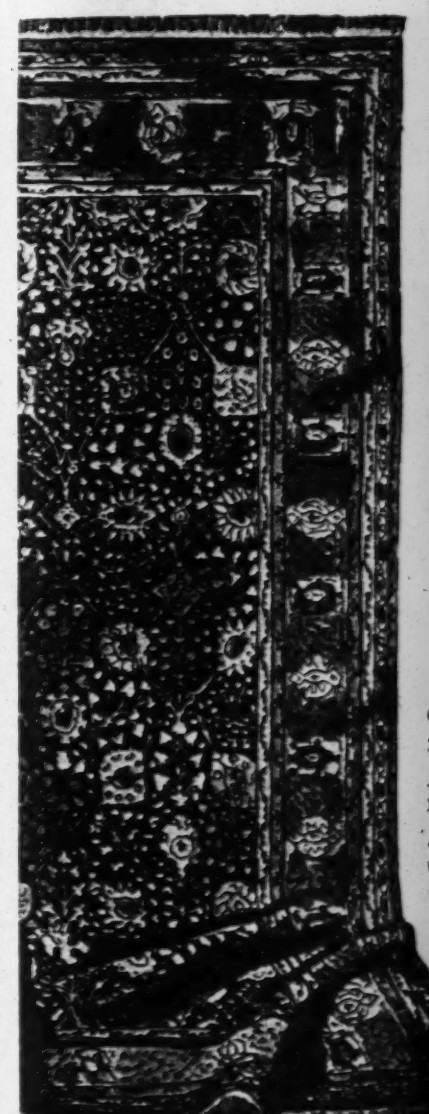
**\$1.75 Covered
Saucepans, \$1.19**
2-qt. "Duo-Seal" with
ebonized handle; bakel-
ite knob on cover.



**\$1.75 Sauce
Pots, \$1.29**
4-qt.; convex style;
bakelite knob on
cover.

\$1.19 Fr...
3-qt. ...
able ...
handle

\$3.19 P...
Vapo-
ventilator
diameter



Defiance Tire at the Price

A Super-Value Offer
Tube Must Be

¶ Even without the tubes, Defiance is the best value obtainable! They're... so you know they're good. Buy with these well-known Tires... without extra charge!

4-PLY BALLOONS

Size	With Tube	Size
28x4.40/21	\$4.70	28x4.40/21
28x4.50/20	\$5.30	28x4.50/20
30x4.50/21	\$5.40	30x4.50/21
28x4.75/19	\$6.25	28x4.75/19
28x4.75/20	\$6.35	28x4.75/20
30x4.75/21	\$6.55	30x4.75/21
28x5.25/18	\$7.50	28x5.25/18
28x5.25/19	\$7.75	28x5.25/19
30x5.25/20	\$7.90	30x5.25/20
28x5.50/19	\$8.40	28x5.50/19
30x5.50/20	\$8.60	30x5.50/20

Other Sizes at Proportionately
Low Prices... High Pressure
Cords Included in This Offering
Deferred Payments on Purchases of
and Over... Small Carrying Charge
Eighth Floor

Famous-Barr Co.'s February Sales

We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps

DOUBLE EAGLE STAMPS TUESDAY

Operated by the May Dept. Stores Co.

Mirro Aluminum Ware Specials

An Introductory Offering of the New Extra Heavy Gauge Utensils in This Nationally Popular Make. Designed for Healthful Cooking Without Water! Get Whatever You Need Tuesday... and Save!



\$1.75 Covered Saucepans, \$1.19
2-qt. "Duo-Seal," with enameled handle; bakelite knob on cover.



\$1.75 French Fryers, \$1.19
3-qt. size, with removable wire basket with handle.



Saucepan Sets, \$1.00
\$1.80 value. One 1-qt. and one 2-qt. pans. Lipped style.



\$2.75 Double Boilers, \$1.98
1 1/2-qt. size; no scorching. Cover fits each vessel.



\$1.95 Convex Kettles, \$1.29
4-qt.; recessed cover prevents boiling over.



\$1.75 Saucepans, \$1.19
3-qt. covered "Duo-Seal"; rustproof steel handle.



\$1.75 Sauce Pots, \$1.29
4-qt.; convex style; bakelite knob on cover.



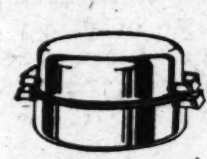
\$3.75 Frying Pans, \$2.98
Vapo-Seal cover with ventilator; 10 3/4-inch diameter.



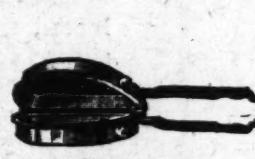
Windsor Sauce Pans, 79c
\$1 value. 3-qt.; flat, quick-heating bottom.



Round Griddles, \$1.00
\$1.60 value. No smoke or odor; 10 3/4-inch diameter.



\$2.50 Roasters, \$1.98
Round "Duo-Seal" cover; 10 3/4-inch diameter.



\$1.60 Omelet Pans, \$1.00
Will cook two foods at one time; rustproof handle. Seventh Floor

Silver-Marshall Triple Screen-Grid Radios

Beautiful Models That Were Originally \$153

Complete With De Forest Tubes and Installed

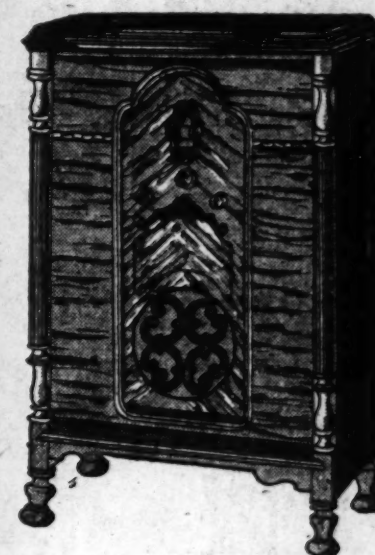
\$63.85

\$6.38 Cash Plus Small Carrying Charge—Balance Monthly

It's the "Princess"... widely noted for the regal quality of its performance and tone! Fully shielded chassis in a good-looking lowboy console cabinet, with full-power Silver dynamic speaker and TONE CONTROL.

Just 10 Kolster K-43-A Triple-Screen-Grid Sets Complete with tubes, in lowboy cabinet \$69.95

Eighth Floor



Gulistan Rugs

The 9x12 Size \$125 Grade

Because of Very Slight Imperfections in the Finish... Not in the Weave... We Offer Them at

\$99

Not one degree of their extreme durability is lessened... and their magnificent Oriental-type beauty is just as gorgeous... yet these tiny imperfections mean big savings! Jewel-like colorings in patterns copied from museum-treasured Orientals.

Come Tuesday for Yours

You May Choose It and Pay Only \$9.90 Cash, Plus a Small Carrying Charge, With the Balance Monthly... if You Wish!

Ninth Floor

Defiance Tires With Tubes at the Price of Tires Alone

A Super-Value-Offering for the February Sales! Tube Must Be the Same Size as Casing

Even without the tubes, Defiance Tires are the best value obtainable! They're made by Goodrich... so you know they're good. Equip your car now with these well-known Tires... and get the tubes without extra charge!

4-PLY BALLOONS

Size	With Tube
28x4.40/21	\$4.70
28x4.50/20	\$5.30
30x4.50/21	\$5.40
28x4.75/19	\$6.25
28x4.75/20	\$6.35
30x4.75/21	\$6.55
28x5.25/18	\$7.50
28x5.25/19	\$7.75
30x5.25/20	\$7.90
28x5.50/19	\$8.40
30x5.50/20	\$8.60

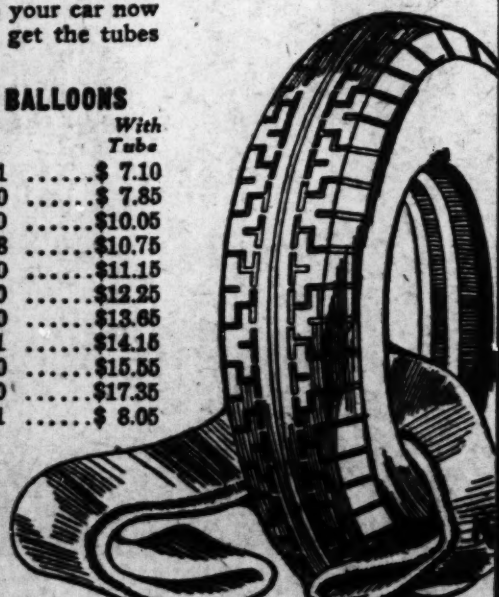
6-PLY BALLOONS

Size	With Tube
28x4.40/21	\$7.10
28x4.50/20	\$7.85
30x5.00/20	\$10.05
28x5.25/18	\$10.75
30x5.25/20	\$11.15
30x5.50/20	\$12.25
32x6.00/20	\$13.65
33x6.00/21	\$14.15
32x6.50/20	\$15.55
32x6.75/20	\$17.35
30x5.50/21	\$8.05

Other Sizes at Proportionately Low Prices... High Pressure Cords Included in This Offering

Deferred Payments on Purchases of \$20 and Over... Small Carrying Charge!

Eighth Floor



Candelabra Lamps

Super-Values in the February Sales!

\$9.95



Floor, Bridge and Table Styles

There's always room for one more lamp in your home... especially when you can choose from styles as good looking as these, priced so low! The bases are of bronze-finished metal, well built and well balanced... and attractively designed.

Complete With Shades of Celanese - Taffeta, Mica and Parchment Paper Applique... Octagon or Pleated Drum Shapes

Seventh Floor

A Double "Easy" Value! Washer and Ironer Outfits

An Exceptional Value at

\$134



The Wringer slips off and in just a few seconds you can slip the Ironer on! Highly efficient, sturdy Washer with many excellent features... and full Ironer that irons all kinds of things!

Deferred Payments With a Small Carrying Charge

Seventh Floor

\$69.50

Ranges

WITH OVEN REGULATOR

Special at

\$52.50



Built for attractiveness and dependability and convenience... and priced to suit the modest budget! All porcelain with 16-inch porcelain-lined oven, large size cooking top, concealed manifold.

All-White... Ivory-and-Green... Two-Tone Ivory... White-and-Gray

Seventh Floor

FEBRUARY FURNITURE SALE

...The Last Tuesday to Make Your Selections!

JUST 5 MORE DAYS TO SAVE

10% to 50%

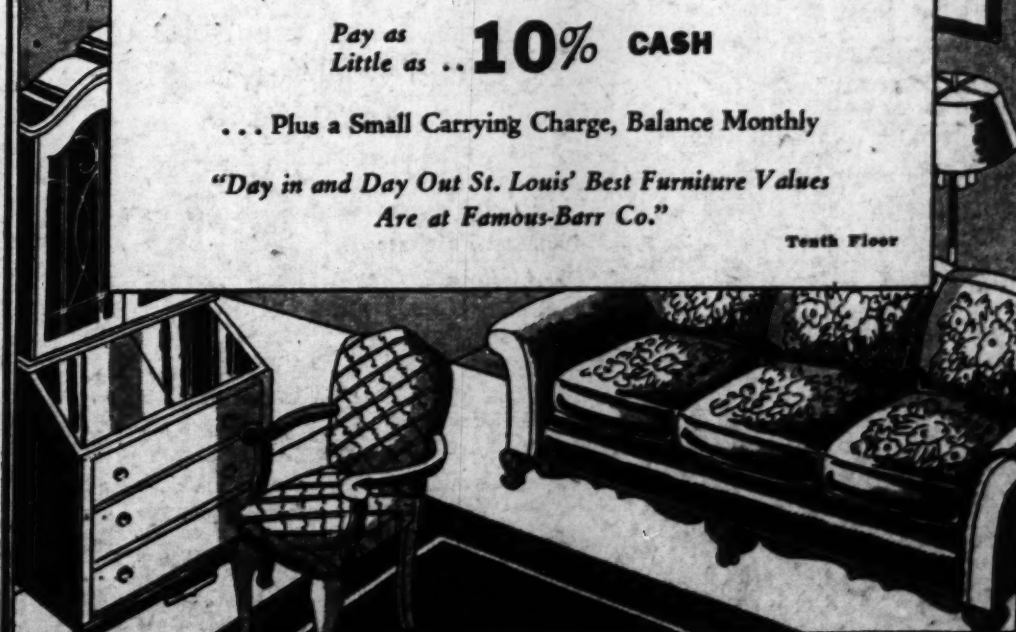
Almost time to tear February off the calendar... don't let it go by without profiting by the season's outstanding furniture-buying opportunity! Special purchases made for this extraordinary event and hundreds of Suites and occasional pieces taken from our regular stocks provide an assortment so varied that even the most difficult-to-please will find complete satisfaction here! Now... as this super-value-giving February Sale draws to a close... select furniture of lasting quality and smart style... at the lowest prices in years!

Pay as Little as... 10% CASH

Plus a Small Carrying Charge, Balance Monthly

"Day in and Day Out St. Louis' Best Furniture Values Are at Famous-Barr Co."

Tenth Floor



Nationally Popular
Current
Model

RTON
adios

NGS

"Radio's
Richest Voice"

At a lower price than you probably even imagined possible!

For 30 years the name Sparton has meant quality and satisfaction... and it always will. This is one of the biggest and best radio-buying opportunities you could have!

arton Lowboy
Model 593

LESS TUBES

\$71

With 10 Sparton Tubes... \$99.50
Installed in Your Home

can't say enough about the Sparton performance is so magnificent! We say too much about this value... supreme! Amazingly sensitive, the penetrates to extreme distances, so sharply selective that you can tremendous power fully without interference from close-in stations... and face-to-face realism in its tone!

95 Cash Plus Small Carrying Charge—Balance Monthly

Model 4206-Tube
Jewel Console

Less Tubes

\$68.10

Complete... \$88



RR CO.

Sales

by the May Dept. Stores Co.



Back Cards



Skipper with White
art Models, at
nd \$89.50

to Skipper Blue, especially when
white, as in these two Suits from
a sleek white galyak collar, the
house for contrast. They're out-
blue!

ipping Suits, Including
pper Blue, \$25 to \$125



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PART TWO.

BRITISH CABINET
DIVIDED ON PLAN
FOR 10 PCT. TARIFF

Supporters Say This Would
Yield Revenue to Balance
Budget and Encourage
Industry.

SNOWDEN BLOCKS
PROTECTION POLICY

Sir Oswald Moseley to Sub-
mit Project for Vast Ex-
penditures for Improve-
ment of Trade.

By JOHN L. BALDERSTON,
London Correspondent of the Post-
Dispatch and New York World.
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Publications Co., New York World
and Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Sir Oswald
Moseley, the "millionaire Social-
ist" who recently resigned a minor
post in the MacDonald Cabinet in-
stead of formally to bolt the Labor
party this week. Most of his fol-
lowers—members of Labor's radi-
cal group—will not follow him, and
the political importance of his step
in the present House of Commons
may not be great.

It remains to be seen what
strength he will develop in the
country as an independent, but he
proposes to issue a manifesto with-
in a few days. It will demand
great expenditures for rationalizing
industry and tariffs, in place of
the plans of Philip Snowden, Chan-
cellor of the Exchequer, for rigid
economy.

Meanwhile, a scheme for a 10
per cent tariff on all imports,
launched at the Imperial Confer-
ence, is under Cabinet considera-
tion as a move to stop economic
decay. This, its supporters main-
tain, would produce \$194,000,000
revenue, thus balancing the budget;
it would encourage home industries
and would not be high enough
seriously to boost retail prices. Its
advocates assert it would cut the
cost from under the Moseley group
and would spike the Tories' pro-
tection campaign.

Snowden Blocks Tariff.
Chancellor of the Exchequer
Snowden, a rigid free trader, blocks
this plan, however, and is aided by
Wedge-Wood Benn, Secretary of
State for India. If the Chancellor
sinks firm, the rest of the Cabinet
may be unable to get it through
unless Lloyd George takes a hand.
The political situation is chaotic,
not only in the Labor and Liberal
parties, but in the Tory opposition.
Winston Churchill, who is seeking
a vote of confidence from his
constituents, may bolt his party as
Moseley has done, and meanwhile
Neville Chamberlain is making
sweeping changes in the Tory par-
ty machine, expelling veteran poli-
ticians of long service.

The Daily Herald, Labor organ,
since a swan song over Moseley,
until late the chief hope of Labor
among the younger men, and warns
him against an alliance with Lord
Beveridge.

Leaders of all parties admit that
back stage strife is such that no-
body knows what is going to hap-
pen, what policies will be adopted
or what leaders will survive. Even
Macdonald is in danger, as it is as-
sumed he is standing with Snow-
den. Former Premier Stanley
Baldwin, until a few months ago
interring in the Tory saddle, is now
firmly entrenched, but some Lib-
erals say they don't know whether
his nominal leader, Lloyd George,
is already bound by a secret treaty
to Moseley.

It has been many years since
there was such an atmosphere of
uncertainty and intrigue at West-
minster. Meanwhile the econ-
omy gets steadily worse and noth-
ing is being done to end it.

Independent Labor Party in Britain
for "Fighting Socialist Policy."
By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The Nation-
al Council of the Independent La-
bor party yesterday issued a state-
ment asserting that Chancellor of
the Exchequer Snowden's recent
economy speech in the House of
Commons had created a grave
emergency, and the Government
was urged to adopt a "Fighting
Socialist policy."

It demands included a revision
of war debts settlements and re-
duction of the war debt by an ad-
ditional surtax on dividends from
interest-bearing securities, with
added taxes on high profits of
monopoly and luxury trades. Other
recommendations included substan-
tial reductions in the fighting ser-
vice.

The statement said unemploy-
ment must not be allowed to be-
come a permanent feature of the
economy, and that the Government
must resist the temptation to re-
duce the standard of living in the
face of trade depression and wage
reduction.

Sir Robert Burnett, Doctor, Dies.
By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Feb. 23.—Sir Robert
Burnett, one of the best known
physicians and authorities on diet-
etics in Great Britain, died today at
the age of 79. He was physician
in the Royal household from 1910
to 1919.

U. S. Dry Bureau Booklet Assailed
As Misleading Propaganda

Senator Bulkley Calls for Investigation—
Congressman Cochran Says Anti-Saloon
League Inspired Pamphlet.

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-
Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The
Prohibition Bureau is facing a new
form of attack in Congress as a
result of its "educational" activi-
ties, which opponents of prohibi-
tion have characterized as propa-
ganda. It is charged that the book-
let entitled "The Value of Law
Observance," which the bureau has
distributed in large numbers, con-
tains many misstatements of facts,
including misquotations attributed
to eminent scientists, and evidence
to support those charges will be
offered on the Senate floor this
week.

As an opening attack Senator
Robert Bulkley, the Democrat who
swept Ohio on a wet platform in
the last election, has introduced a
resolution requesting Attorney-
General Mitchell to tell the Sen-
ate who compiled the booklet and
what steps the Department of
Justice has taken to verify the
statements contained in it.

After reading the booklet, Sen-
ator Bulkley was so aroused by
what he felt were "flagrant mis-
statements" that he retained an
attorney to investigate the pam-
phlet's accuracy. The sources were
thoroughly canvassed and the re-
sult was to convince Bulkley that
"a Government department had
embarked on a deliberate campaign
of deception and misrepresentation."

Contents of Bulkley Resolution.
The Bulkley resolution would
require from Mitchell, "as soon as
practicable," information on how
the bureau compiled and in-
terpreted its facts and "what ac-
tion, if any, was taken by the
bureau in the Justice Department
to verify the factual material."

Accuracy of the material was
questioned by Congressman La-
Guardia of New York, and John J.
Cochran of Missouri, the latter
House floor. E. Clemens Horst of
San Francisco also complained in
a letter to Mitchell.

Bulkley's resolution asks how
many copies of the booklet were
distributed, and whether changes
were made in subsequent editions
after complaints had been made.
"I want to know," Bulkley said,
"whether the Justice Department is
showing proper regard for truth
and accuracy in the dissemination
of this information. The commu-
nications to the department indi-
cate the booklet contains misrep-
resentation and misleading infor-
mation, and I want to know wheth-
er, under the circumstances, the
department is going ahead with its
distribution."

La Guardia's Protest.
Last Dec. 13, La Guardia wrote
Attorney-General Mitchell pro-
testing that the name and seal of
the Justice Department and the
"good faith" of the United States
Government has been used "to in-
duce a stupid compilation of dis-
torted facts, written in poor En-
glish, containing misrepresentation
and wilful misstatements for prop-
aganda purposes." La Guardia
then challenged the accuracy of
various statements made in the
booklet.

Cochran, in a statement in the
Congressional Record, Jan. 16,
analyzed the statements in the
monograph and termed them
"propaganda" inspired by the Anti-
Saloon League and endorsed by
Prohibition Commissioner Wood-
cock.

Horst in a letter to Woodcock
said, "the booklet, in its im-
portant statements and statistics,
is so false or grossly misleading
that I hope and believe you will
see the propriety of your publicly
and promptly repudiating the book-
let for the honor of the United
States Department of Justice."

**MRS. BOK GIVES \$100,000
FOR ANNIE RUSSELL THEATER**
Building Honoring Actress Will Be
Erected at Rollins College
Winter Park, Fla.

WINTER PARK, Fla., Feb. 23.—
A gift of \$100,000 from Mrs. Ed-
ward W. Bok, widow of the phil-
anthropist, to build a theater at
Rollins College in Winter Park, Fla.,
a long friend, Annie Russell, actress,
was announced today by Dr. Ham-
ilton Holt, Rollins president.

The building probably will be
known as the Annie Russell The-
ater. Miss Russell, who has made
Winter Park her permanent home,
consented to take an active part
in work of the new theater, Dr. Holt said.

Annie Russell who was born in
Liverpool, England, and was
brought to America as a child,
made her first stage appearance at
the age of 7 in Montreal. At a
member of the Madison Square
Theater Company in New York,
Miss Russell rose to fame in "Es-
meralda" and "Elaine" in 1904.
In London she created the title
role for George Bernard Shaw's
"Major Barbara." Later she pro-
duced under her own management,
a repertoire of classical and mod-
ern plays. Her last appearance,
by special engagement, took place
in Chicago in "The Thirteenth
Chair."

**41 IN JAIL, 11 IN HOSPITAL
AFTER HAVANA STREET FIGHT**
HAVANA, Feb. 23.—Forty-one
men are in jail here and 11 in
hospitals as a result of a fight
Saturday night between police and
workers attending a meeting which
authorities sought to break up.

The condition of Lieut. Jose Ca-
nado, shot through the chest in
the rioting at the headquarters of
the Workers' Federation, is still
critical. Ten members of the
national secret service who received
wounds from the radicals are re-
ported to be improving. Among
those confined indefinitely in the
city jail are 16 foreigners. There are
also 25 Cubans and Spaniards un-
der arrest to whom the Court de-
clared release on bail. All the pris-
oners will be tried by a military
court on charges of conspiring
against the administration.

Saturday night's street fight was
the result of compliance by the
police with instructions to prevent
the holding of secret meetings at which
radical agitators were scheduled to
speak. The police, under com-
mand of Capt. Garcia Hierro, sur-
rounded the building in which
secret service agents had learned the
meeting was to be held and waited
for it to start. The police tried to
persuade those at the meeting to
disband. Their suggestion was met
with firing from an ambush, and
the police replied. As a result, a
nation-wide roundup of Commun-
ists has been ordered.

WINDLESS STORM PRECEDED
NEW ZEALAND EARTHQUAKE

Giant Waves Swept Into Harbor at
Rarotonga, Cook Islands,
Without Warning.

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Feb. 23.—A dispatch
just received from Rarotonga, Cook
Islands, reports that the recent
New Zealand earthquake was pre-
ceded there by several days by a
tremendous but windless ocean
storm which lasted the whole night
of Jan. 28.

It was a perfect summer day in
that tropic region, with the sky
cloudless and the sea calm and
blue. Suddenly the ocean waves
rose 15 feet high outside the la-
goon, rolled over the reef and
rushed up the harbor, swamping
sheds at the wharfe and throw-
ing spray 80 feet in the air.

There was not a breath of wind
at this time and through the spray
could be seen that the Pacific
Ocean was perfectly calm beyond
the zone of disturbance. Giant
waves lashed the harbor all night.

GANDHI GETS FULL POWER
TO DEAL WITH THE BRITISH

He Expected to Be Summoned Soon
to Resume Negotiations With
British Government.

By the Associated Press.
NEW DELHI, India, Feb. 23.—
Full power to make any decision in
behalf of the All-India National
Congress in his dealings with the
Viceroy has been used to Mahatma
Gandhi yesterday by the Work-
ing Committee, which is the Cab-
inet of the Congress. The action
is regarded as tantamount to a
vote of confidence in his ability to
obtain the maximum concessions
for India from the British.

A feeling of optimism prevails
on both sides that an agreement
or compromise will be reached be-
tween Gandhi and Lord Irwin.
Gandhi expects to be summoned at
any moment to the Viceroy's pal-
ace for resumption of negotiations.
Gandhi said today: "I am not
more hopeful about ultimate peace,
but rather less hopeful than I was
in the beginning."

DR. BUTLER DISCUSSES
COMMUNISM AND FASCISM

Tells Church Congregation They
Must Be Considered on Same
Plane as Democracy.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Before
an overflowing congregation at a
Washington's birthday service in
the Cathedral of St. John the Di-
vine yesterday afternoon, Dr. Nich-
olas Murray Butler, president of
Columbia University, put Com-
munism and Fascism on a plane
with democracy as great living
political philosophies. The three
forces are contending for posses-
sion of the world, Dr. Butler said.
Absolute monarchs, he dismissed as
being all but disappeared. If an-
other day had dawned, he said,
"The day has gone by," he said,
"when welcome and opposing
political philosophies may be
passed by with denunciations and
sneers. They must be examined on
their merits and demerits. If an-
other day had dawned, he said, he
would have been, with intelligent ar-
gument, grounded in deeper exam-
ination of the facts."

Dr. Butler's discussion of political
philosophy was by way of ad-
monition to Americans to study
the life and opinions of George
Washington and thereby to arm
themselves in the intellectual de-
fense of democracy. "With that
battle in progress," he said, "there
is and can be no capital to turn
to for more assurance than Wash-
ington."

"There are today," Dr. Butler
continued, "three great systems of
political thought that compete for
the mastery of men, and fortun-
ately they are competing for supre-
macy on the battle of ideas. It is
He listed democracy, "the Commu-
nistic philosophy of Lenin and
others" and the "Fascist philoso-
phy of Mussolini." "It would be
a great mistake," he went on, "to
suppose any one of these is not
eagerly received and is not eagerly
urged and supported on intellectual
grounds."

GARY TAX BILL OPPOSED
BY CENTRAL TRADES UNION

Resolution Passed Declares It
Would Work Hardship on
the Wage Earner.

A resolution opposing the Gary
tax increase bill was adopted by
the Central Trades and Labor
Union yesterday on the ground that,
if passed, the bill would work a
hardship on the wage earner.

The meeting also voted opposi-
tion to the proposal to establish a
State constabulary in Missouri. It
went on record as favoring an ex-
tension of the highway patrol with
facilities for pursuing criminals,
but opposed a State police as or-
ganized Eastern states.

Delegates discussing the pro-
posed eight-hour law for women
workers declared the legislation
would be practically useless under
present conditions. Speakers stated
that workers here would be hard-
ly satisfied with employers who vi-
olate the working laws, for fear of
losing their jobs. The Legislative
Committee was instructed to study
the bill for the purpose of making
recommendations for enforcing the
law.

A communication was addressed
to Gov. James Rolph Jr. of Cal-
ifornia, repeating the frequent re-
quest for the release of Thomas
Mooney, convicted of the prepared-
ness day bombing in San Fran-
cisco.

WICKERSHAM TO SEND SENATE
MISSING DRY DATA IT SEEKS

Omitted "by Inadvertence," It Is
Explained; No Reports Received
On Six States.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The
transfer to the Senate by the Wic-
kersham Commission of prohibition
data of six states of the 16 states om-
itted from the material already sent
to the Capitol was promised today
by members of the commission.

While it was said at commission
headquarters that data was lacking
on conditions in six or more states,
the remaining reports available
would be forwarded to the Senate.
Thirty-two states were covered in
the information sent last week.

The new material deals with
some states where anti-prohibition
sentiment is very apparent, such as
New York and Illinois. Omission of
some of the available data from the
original commission was said at
the commission to have occurred
through an inadvertence.

One commissioner, who wished
his name withheld, said there was
some dissatisfaction among the
members that any testimony had
been submitted to the Senate with-
out the approval of the full com-
mission. He asserted the selection
of what was sent and what retained
had been made entirely by Chair-
man Wickersham.

Work Resumed on Two Liners.
NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Con-
struction of the two 30,000-ton
liners of the United States Lines,
Inc., halted a week ago because of
inadequate financial arrangements,
were resumed today at the Cam-
den yards of the New York Ship-
building Co. The work will be
pushed, according to announcement
by the United States Lines, in order
that the first of the vessels may be
available for trans-Atlantic service
early in the summer of 1932.

PERU ORGANIZES
TO FIGHT REBELS;
AREQUIPA FALLS

Provisional Government
Asks for 1600 Volunteers
and Moves Troops From
Cuzco and Puno.

STRICT CENSORSHIP
PREVAILS IN LIMA

Official Bulletins Admit In-
surgents' Capture of Sec-
ond City of Nation—
Several Killed.

By the Associated Press.
LIMA, Peru, Feb. 23.—The pro-
visional government of Lieutenant-
Colonel Luis M. Sanchez Cerro en-
listed volunteers in Lima and Cal-
lao and moved troops from Cuzco
and Puno today to put down a
revolution which began Friday
night at Arequipa, second city of
the republic.

Cerro today withdrew as a can-
didate for the presidency. At the
beginning of his term as provision-
al President it was understood that
he would serve in that capacity
only until a general election could
be held.

Official bulletins admitted that
Arequipa had fallen to the insur-
gents and that several had been
killed in the fighting. These offi-
cial communiques offered the only
definite information available here,
everything else being subject to a
strict censorship.

Dispatches from Arica, Chilean
border town, to Mercurio, daily of
Santiago, Chile, said all Southern
Peru had gone over to the new
revolution, but that the border cen-
sorship made it impossible to ob-
tain definite information. Tacna
and other border points were quiet.

Call for 1600 Volunteers.
The Government called for 1600
volunteers 21 to 30 years old for
60 days service. The decree stat-
ing the call was made "for reasons of
public order."

The Government sent airplanes
over Arequipa; the pilots dropping
leaflets telling of the defeat of the
rebels Friday at Lima and Callao.
The pilots, returning, said they
had been cheered by residents.

The official version of the revolt
is that the Arequipa garrison re-
ceived false news of the Callao
fighting, their advice stating Pres-
ident Sanchez Cerro had been over-
thrown and that rebels had occu-
pied the Lima palace.

A revolting group controlled Are-
quipa after an armed clash in
which Lieutenant-Colonel Gamara,
fighting with loyal troops, was killed.

Reports on Cause of Revolt.
Although official pronounce-
ments said the Arequipa revolu-
tionary group was composed of
adherents to the deposed President,
Augusto B. Leguia, now in prison
in Lima, there was other informa-
tion that it was composed of ele-
ments dissatisfied with President
Sanchez Cerro's attempts to restore
the normal life of the country.

The Government is moving for
a quick trial for the 39 prisoners,
including Gen. Pablo Martinez and
Col. Cesar Lujan Zorillo, who were
taken in the fighting in Callao
Friday. Maximum sentences of 10
years imprisonment probably will
be imposed, although the men are
liable to execution.

An official statement early to-
day said the Government was mak-
ing preparations to crush the reb-
els. It added that the entire coun-
try, except for Arequipa, was calm.

NEW BRITISH COMBAT PLANE

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Official an-
nouncement is made that secret
tests have been completed of a new
type of fighting airplane which
may revolutionize air combat.

Although the machine is only a
single-seater biplane, it carries six
machine guns, controlled in unison
and firing a cone of lead converg-
ing a few hundred yards ahead of
the ship. Two guns fire through
the propeller, the others are set
in the wings. Four 20-pound
bombs also are carried by the craft,
which has a surface ceiling of 16,000
feet and a sustained speed of
194 miles an hour.

CHURCHILL DENOUNCES GANDHI

Also Assails British Policy Toward
Sedition in India.

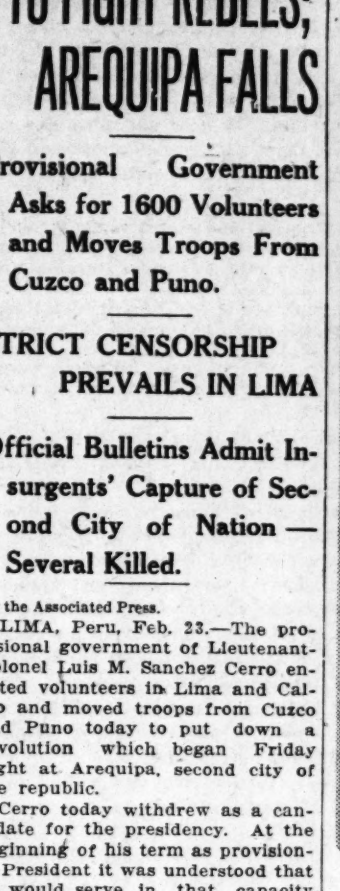
By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Feb. 23.—Describing
Mahatma Gandhi as "a fanatical
fakir, striding half naked up the
streets of the Vice Regal palace,"
Winston Churchill this evening de-
livered a scathing attack on the
whole position of British negotia-
tions with Indian Nationalists.

He unleashed his eloquent scorn
impartially on Gandhi, Premier
Ramsay MacDonald, Lord Irwin,
the Viceroy of India, and even on
his own leader, Stanley Baldwin,
while appealing his constituents
of Epping for a vote of confidence
after his resignation from the Con-
servative "shadow Cabinet." The
spectacle of Gandhi carrying on his
campaign of disobedience while ne-
gotiating with the Viceroy of India
was "nauseating," Churchill de-
clared. The meeting voted confi-
dence in Churchill unanimously.

Egypt Increases Sugar Duties.

By the Associated Press.
CAIRO, Egypt, Feb. 23.—The
Egyptian Government today in-
creased the duty on sugar to 900
piastres a ton for refined other
than candied; 950 piastres for can-
died; 800 piastres for raw sugar
destined for refineries; and 900
piastres (about \$45) a ton for all
other kinds. In December the im-
port duty was raised from 440 to
700 piastres and a Government
monopoly was established because
of the decline of world prices.

Ex-President's Wife Christening
New Ocean Liner Named for Him



WITH a bottle of water from a stream that flows through the farm at
Plymouth, Vt., where Calvin Coolidge played as a boy, the liner
President Coolidge was christened Saturday by MRS. CALVIN COOL-
IDGE (extreme right) at Newport News, Va. Picture shows the bottle
crashing against the prow of the liner after leaving the hand of Mrs.
Coolidge.

NEW PEACE PROPOSAL
BY AGENT OF SANDINO

Rebels Would Lay Down Arms
on Agreement of Marines
to Evacuate.

By the Associated Press.
MEXICO CITY, Feb. 23.—A sec-
ond proposal to bring peace to
Nicaragua was advanced today by
Dr. Pedro Jose Zepeda, foreign rep-
resentative of the insurgent leader
Augusto B. Leguia.

His first proposal Saturday that
the United States Marines in Nica-
ragua withdraw immediately, after
which Sandino would cease his
activities, met with a cold recep-
tion in Washington.

The new proposal is to begin
evacuation immediately or to agree
to immediate evacuation, the San-
dino faction to lay down its arms
when notification is given, Sandino
giving guarantees against resuming
hostilities.

"A dispatch from Washington
which says that hostilities would
cease the moment the rebels aban-
doned their arms somewhat per-
plexed me," Zepeda said. "I won-
der if this means the rebels would
be withdrawn so soon as
Sandino lays down his weapons."

"If such is the case, it seems to
me there is a good chance to bring
about the pacification of the coun-
try. The fighting now is growing
more intense and if it continues
will mean the useless sacrifice of
many lives."

"Would the United States and
the Moncada Government agree to
immediate withdrawal of the mar-
ines if the Sandino faction laid
down its arms and gave adequate
assurance that it would remain
peaceful?"

"I assume that if this were done,
there would be assurance against
any future intervention of Ameri-
can troops—that is, any unjustified
intervention. Such an assurance,
of course, would be necessary."

The doctor declared that the
only cause of warfare now in Nica-
ragua is the presence of the mar-
ines and that their departure will
be a signal for immediate peace.

Cañfield Signs First Bill of 1931.
By the Associated Press.
JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 23.—
Gov. Cañfield today signed the
first bill passed by the 1931 Mis-
souri General Assembly. It is the
measure for a \$250,000 appropria-
tion for relief to sufferers from the
drouth last year. It carries an
emergency clause making the fund
available at once.

PRESIDENT CHECKS
UP ON NUMBER OF
VETERANS IN NEED



Countrywide Inquiry to Be
Used in Calculating Ef-
fectiveness of Measure He
Is Expected to Veto.

FIGURES FROM TWO
CITIES ARE SENT IN

1700 in Distress in One,
159 in Other—Congress
Enters Legislative Clean-
Up Period.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Pres-
ident Hoover, preparatory to vet-
ing the veterans' loan bill, is hav-
ing an inquiry made throughout
the country to ascertain the de-
gree and number of veterans in
distress.

At the White House today, it was
said various Federal agencies were
making inquiry to ascertain also
how effective the legislation would
be as a relief measure.

Under the bill, the former sol-
dier would be able to borrow up
to 50 per cent of the face value of
his adjusted compensation certifi-
cate.

The measure is to be vetoed be-
tween now and Thursday. Efforts
are to be made in Congress to over-
ride the veto at once.

Figures on Payments.
The average value of the certifi-
cates is \$1000. Dealing with the
groups which hold certificates of
lesser value, the President is said
already to have ascertained there
are 210,000 veterans who would be
able to borrow \$15,000,000, or \$50
apiece, if they have received no
advance already on their certifi-
cates.

In the group having certificates
ranging from \$250 to \$1000, there
are 500,000 veterans who—if they
have not previously borrowed—
would be able to get \$77,500,000 or
\$157 each.

One of his consultants said the
President has received reports al-
ready from two widely separated
cities. In one, 20,000 veterans were
reported, of these the Veterans'
Administration has been advised
there are 159 in distress and being
cared for by relief agencies. In
the second and larger city, the vet-
erans numbered 140,000, of whom
1700 were reported in distress and
being cared for.

Congress today entered the clean-
up period, the two Houses working
on finishing touches for legislation
far advanced. In all there are eight
and a half legislative days ahead
until adjournment on March 4.
Night sessions will be added when
necessary, and sometimes Congress
Continued on Page 7, Col. 5.

INADEQUATE FACILITIES FOR
TREATMENT OF TUBERCULOSIS



The number of sanatorium beds
for tuberculous patients in Mis-
souri is only half the number nec-
essary, according to a survey re-
cently completed by the Missouri
Tuberculosis Association. The ma-
terial compiled will be the basis
of the association's legislative pro-
gram.

At present there are 1526 beds
available in State, county, munici-
pal and private sanatoria in Mis-
souri, which is only half the num-
ber necessary for the cases reported
in Missouri by the American
Sanatorium Association and the
National Tuberculosis Association.
The 231 beds available for tuber-
culous insane at asylums and 52
beds at the State Penitentiary are
reported as entirely inadequate.

Included in the legislative pro-
gram of the association are approp-
riations for the State Sanatorium
at Mount Vernon and for the Jasper
County Sanatorium at Webb
City, appropriations for a tuber-
culosis pavilion at the penitentiary
for nursing work for the State
Board of Health, and an appropria-
tion to supplement funds avail-
able from the Federal Bureau of
Rehabilitation to provide suitable
employment for patients discharged
from treatment.

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I know that my retirement will make no difference in the cardinal principles that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight for the rights of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privilege and class and public plunder, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news; always be drastically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy, or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH FULTZER
 April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Politics and St. Louis Police.

Under the Charter of St. Louis, article 3, section 15, provision is made for the appointment of a Police Commissioner by the Director of Public Safety and for the removal of such Police Commissioner by the Director of Public Safety and by the Governor or by either.

I will insist that the Governor be given the right of removal as provided in the St. Louis Charter as voted on by the people.

I will also insist on an amendment to any home rule bill which will prohibit any member or employee of the Police Department from participating in any political campaign, distributing political literature or cards or working for the election or defeat of any candidate for public office, or for or against any proposition submitted at any election.

The Police Department is too vital an arm of government to be allowed to participate in politics and I am against any effort to make it otherwise.

ROBERT F. MILLER,
 Member, 16th General Assembly, from St. Louis.
 Jefferson City, Mo.

A Barber Learns About Protection.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

While being shaved the other day, the barber asked me how the razor felt. I could testify to its smoothness. He said he had just imported it from Hamburg, Germany, and I wondered why he had sent that far for a razor. He said it was because the Germans have mastered the art of tempering razor steel, and added that he believed 90 per cent of the straight razors used in this country are German-made. I asked him what duty he had to pay. He said it was 40 per cent until the passage of the last tariff bill, but is now 75 per cent, an increase of nearly 100 per cent. He was willing to pay the tariff because he liked the German razor so well.

This barber was not schooled in the classic principles of free trade. He had never heard of Cobden, Bright and the Manchester school. But he gave an excellent practical example which illustrates one of their main theories, namely, that the world economy is best served by permitting free interchange of products. This theory is particularly to the point in the interchange of products affected by advantages in climate, training or inherent skill in the various nations.

OSCAR UNDERWOOD JR.,
 To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Uninsured Drivers.

I F. W. H. should suffer financial loss by being hit and injured as a result of the negligence of one of the tens of thousands of uninsured, financially irresponsible drivers who are on the roads of Missouri today, he would not consider insurance as a "great leech" but rather as a protective factor.

HOWARD B. ALLEN,
 To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Louder, Josh, and Funnier!

CYRIL CLEMENS of Webster Groves, a relative of Mark Twain, wants someone to give him information about Josh Billings. About 55 years ago, Josh Billings, with Artemus Ward, came through North Missouri on a lecture trip. He spoke at Huntville, Moberly and Macon, as I recall it. Moberly was then called Moberly. Billings arrived in Macon over the old North Missouri Railroad, now called the Wabash. His humor was commonplace, not equal to that of Mark Twain, and yet he got it over and made money.

Here is one of his stories in the Macon lecture, as I remember it: "Ladies and gentlemen and others: I am a bit late. I came in over the North Missouri, the fast train. I asked the conductor if he cared for passengers who are on the road on his train. 'I don't give a damn,' he said. I said to him, 'You see these cows grazing along out there near the track of the train?' 'Yes, why?' 'Well, don't you think you'd better take your cowcatcher off of the front of the train and put it on the rear coach? What's going to prevent those cows from coming into the train and biting or hooking up passengers?'"

HARRY C. TURNER,
 Montgomery, Mo.

Birth Control and Sound Morality.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

PROPOS. J. F. Oxford's letter on birth control, I venture to differ from his statement that birth control is merely the subterfuge of those seeking to substitute degeneracy for common decency. On the contrary, birth control advocates propose to further sound morality by boldly confronting certain unhealthy social conditions with the powerful weapon of knowledge.

Anyone at all acquainted with the appalling prevalence of social diseases and the ruinous effect upon the health of those resorting in desperation to the crude and barbarous practitioners of clandestine abortion would hesitate to stigmatize efforts to curb such conditions.

In Holland, birth control has long been legally effective and, to ally Mr. Oxford's fears, no signs of disintegration are evident. I do not agree with Mr. Oxford or Miss Oxford that people must be coerced into assuming the responsibilities of parenthood. In this matter, I am a strict advocate of the policy of laissez faire.

B. RUBINSTEIN.

LAWYERS AND SOCIETY.

Joseph L. Lemon, through whom \$822,000 worth of stolen bonds have been restored to the Grand National Bank, has decided that he will give the Circuit Attorney the details of this dubious transaction. It is, of course, too late to catch the robbers. If lawyers can so easily escape their responsibility to society, any lawyer who is willing to do so can act as a fence for thieves and leave society to whistle. The grand jury is obligated under the law to set all such sophistries aside and go to the bottom of this matter. Chief of Police Gerke thinks Lemon will "get away with it." We do not think so, and we would be surprised to learn that the Circuit Attorney thinks so.

The stand taken by Lemon, who is a State Representative and a former Assistant Circuit Attorney, illustrates the depth to which lawyers are sometimes willing to stoop while claiming the privilege of confidence. The St. Louis Bar Association appreciates the gravity of the situation and has already called a meeting of its executive committee to consider what action it will take upon the conduct of Lemon. The association should avail itself of this opportunity to tell the community as well what it thinks of the widespread prostitution of the bar in collusion with the underworld. As we pointed out only a few days ago in a discussion of comparative crime in the United States and England, this is one of the reasons crime is increasing here and decreasing there.

If lawyers can do what Lemon claims the privilege of doing, then we would just as well frankly open a thieves' market in St. Louis and save robbed people the trouble of wondering where they can go for their stolen property. The Mexican Government, which formerly maintained such a clearing house for stolen goods, with no questions asked, concluded some years ago that catching thieves is a much better business for the state to be in than fencing for them. If we will think it over in St. Louis, we must inevitably reach the same conviction. What Lemon proposes, and what has actually gone on in the matter of the Grand National Bank bonds, is that we shall traffic and make terms with the underworld. St. Louis will do nothing of the kind.

TAUSSIG ON THE TARIFF.

Reprinted on this page is the conclusion to Prof. F. W. Taussig's critique, "The Tariff Act of 1930," which appeared in the Quarterly Journal of Economics. The Post-Dispatch takes pleasure in presenting the views of so competent and disinterested an observer as Dr. Taussig, who is a former chairman of the Tariff Commission and a past president of the American Economic Association. Connected with the economics faculty of Harvard for a half century and for many years dean of the teachers of economics in the United States, he is easily the outstanding native St. Louisan in the adventurous search after truth in that infinitely complicated field. His famous graduate class in economic theory, "ec 11," has long been a mecca for students from all parts of the globe—from Heidelberg, Capetown, Edinburgh, Canton—because in his skillful hands the gloomy science becomes the most captivating thing in the world. Dr. Taussig's students follow him confidently in the intricate maze, knowing that their guide has no personal axe to grind, but instead keeps his eyes on the long-run results. What a fortunate thing it would be for the American people—and the rest of the world, for that matter—if our tariff makers only worked in the same spirit.

THE SANTA FE AND ST. LOUIS.

The Santa Fe Railroad is one of our oldest St. Louis traditions. We have been told that keeping the Santa Fe out of St. Louis was one of the ways in which St. Louis contributed to the superior growth of Chicago. Now President Storey of the Santa Fe tells the St. Louis Industrial Club that this city presents marketing advantages his railroad can no longer overlook and that it contemplates entering over the Burlington tracks.

Railroads bear a lesser relation to the growth of great cities than they formerly did, but the Santa Fe is no less welcome to St. Louis. It is one of the great southwestern systems. There is an expectation that the Santa Fe will shortly open up to commerce the immensely rich west coast of Mexico. It has a concession to build there. It is inevitable that the economy of the Southwest should relate this great railroad to the metropolis of the Southwest, which is what St. Louis has come to be.

That the railroads are still maneuvering in the certainty of future development serves to show what railroad people think of the enduring qualities of their industry. The Southern Pacific is also coming into St. Louis. Since the highways were built and the pipe line came into use, the railroads have lost much of their business. Nevertheless, they are in no danger of being removed from the scene. The new era requires only that they adapt themselves to a changing world, which is what they are doing. It is why the Santa Fe, which in 50 years has felt no compulsion to come into St. Louis, is now preparing to do so. If the new era were also to mean that the railroads were no longer to suffer from overcapitalization, and were therefore under no worse necessity than to make good earnings upon the investment in them, that would be an immense gain to them and the country also. It is Wall Street that stands between us and that desirable end.

WHO CHARLES W. FEAR IS.

We have received a communication from the Republican Editorial Association of Missouri containing a resolution unanimously adopted at the annual convention held in Kansas City on Feb. 11, 1931. The resolution "resents the insinuations being made by certain metropolitan newspapers in the State of Missouri that the rural press is being bought by the Secretary of State with the constitutional amendment printing. The rural press is friendly to Mr. Charles U. Becker, because he has proven himself to be a friend to the rural press, the rural and the common people in every part of the State." The resolution is signed by Oliver E. Davis, its president, and by Charles W. Fear, its secretary-treasurer.

This is a rather ingenious statement of the friendship between Becker and certain Missouri newspapers, since it appears to bear out the charge that these newspapers are supporting Becker because of the handsome printing patronage which he dispenses to them. However, what we wished particularly to point out is that Charles W. Fear is one of Becker's appointees. Fear is editor of the Official Manual of the State of Missouri, otherwise known as the Blue Book, for which he draws, we believe, a salary of \$200

per month. For fear to sign the resolution referred to is, to say the least, in questionable taste. Becker and his pluggers, however, are hardly noted for that quality.

QUACK STATISTICS.

The laymen regard with mingled wonderment and suspicion the statistics which their more erudite brethren quote; wonderment that a man can so glibly turn off figures to prove that stock market crashes are the result of sun spots, or that the wages of skilled mechanics are correlated with the Republican majority in Congress; suspicion that perhaps the statistician is not a wiser man, but simply a bigger bluffer. A good example of the statistical malpractice that makes the man in the street lose faith in statistics is found in the recent speech of Martin J. Insull. Mr. Insull, contrasting the good and wise men who run our electric light and power companies with the wicked and foolish men who run our governments, said:

The managerial and executive ability of politicians as contrasted with the electric light and power industry may be gauged in some measure from the fact that between 1905 and 1928 the electric industries of the United States reduced the average price of a unit of household electricity from 11 1/2 cents to 6 1/2 cents, while the average per capita revenues taken from the citizens by city governments in the same time rose from \$23 to \$72.

If the electric industry gives the public more for its money than the city fathers, these statistics must certainly do not prove it. What do they show? In 1905 the electric light and power industry was in its infancy. During a period of 23 years, marked by tremendous technical developments, some of which were the product of Government and university research laboratories, the price of household electricity fell nearly 45 per cent. But during the same period the price of crude rubber fell 80 per cent and the price of cottonseed oil fell 75 per cent. Does this prove that we should bring in the rubber planters of the East Indies or the managers of cottonseed oil mills to replace the present managers of our utilities? Obviously not. Yet one who was trained in the Insull school of statistics would be forced to such a conclusion.

Mr. Insull invites a comparison with the cost of city government over a period of 23 years. During this period the general index prices rose close to 100 per cent, which in itself would have raised the cost of city government greatly. In 1928, as compared with 1905, the citizens of our cities had more and better paved streets, traffic control which is needed with the increasing use of the automobile, expensive sewerage systems, better schools, more parks and playgrounds, and many other things which contribute to a richer life. These things cost money, and city governments furnished them because the public wanted them and was willing to pay for them. The electrical utilities' own statistics show that the bill of the American public for electricity was nearly 10 times as great per capita in 1928 as it had been 25 years before. Does this prove that city government is three times as efficient as the electrical industry? Certainly not, because the electrical companies were supplying the public with much more electricity. Yet this is the conclusion we must reach if the statistical methods of Mr. Insull are used.

If this quotation is a fair sample of the Insull system of statistics, we shudder to think what happens when their statisticians and accountants get together to make up their companies' valuation statements.

NEWS REEL.

East St. Louis youth gets one year to life in prison for stealing 15 chickens, and Belleville Negro gets one to 14 years for shooting another to death; Elizabeth (N. J.) pair celebrate seventy-first wedding anniversary, and Brooklyn woman gets divorce on plea that husband left her day after wedding; Sheriff at Benton, Ill., summons son home from college to serve as his deputy, and president of Transylvania College, Lexington, Ky., drops seven faculty members, including his son, from payroll; gasoline sells for nine cents a gallon in South St. Louis, and for 69 cents a gallon in Nairobi, Africa; London plans to close prominent street to horse-drawn vehicles between noon and 7 p. m., and Bermuda Legislature votes to continue island's ban on automobiles; Louis C. Hehl, 73, of St. Louis, is oldest member of Missouri Legislature, and W. C. Ploester, 34, also of St. Louis, is youngest; Washington woman divorces husband because he objected to her tuning in grand opera on radio, and Kansas City woman shoots husband because he objected to her tuning in Rudy Vallee on radio.

After 30 years' experience with the primary, Kentucky Democrats will return to the delegate convention plan of nominating candidates. And it won't be long now before the frost is on the julep and the grass again is blue.

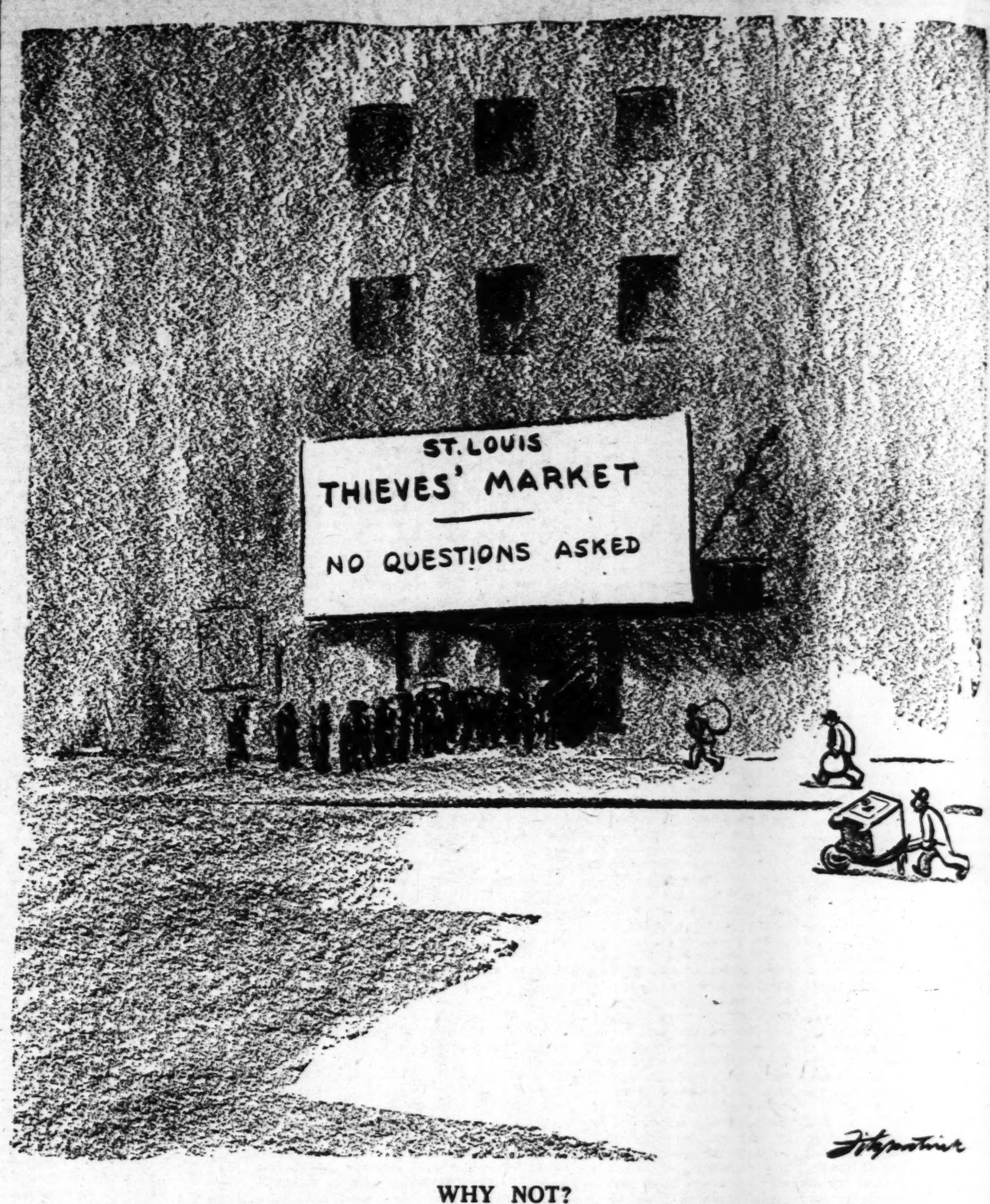
A BLOW AT TEACHERS' TENURE.

St. Louis public school teachers, under the present system, are free to give their best services without worrying about the permanence of their positions. For cause, the Superintendent may publicly suspend them, and the merits of the case thereupon are fully investigated in a hearing before the Board of Education. A bill pending in the Missouri House would alter that arrangement by making all appointments for one year only. There would follow an annual scramble for appointments; the board and the Superintendent would be besieged by teachers and applicants; every action of the instructor would be shadowed by fear of losing his or her position; teaching positions would inevitably be bartered for political favors.

The teachers, their executive officials and a majority of the board are satisfied with the working of the present tenure system, and are protesting to the Legislature against the bill. The St. Louis schools have built up a loyal and efficient corps of teachers, many of whom have served a score of years or more. Should the system be changed, any teacher could be dropped from the staff for any reason or no reason, without recourse or hearing. The Superintendent, who would have the appointive power, would be bombarded by his teachers with requests for reappointments, and by board members seeking to get positions for relatives or political friends in return for approving the Superintendent's policies.

The bill, which has been approved by the House Committee on Education, should be allowed to go no further. There is no need or excuse for transforming our school system from efficiency into chaos.

Trip to astronomers: That new planet cavorting around in the sidereal spaces is a baseball.



WHY NOT?

A Disinterested View of the Tariff

Former chairman of the Tariff Commission regards Hawley-Smoot act as the embodiment of futility; temporary turns and shifts must not be confused with long-run results; general economic considerations rarely get attention in every-day talk and less often in the talk of politicians; fooling all of the people all of the time.

F. W. Taussig, Professor of Economics, Harvard University, in the Quarterly Journal of Economics.

SOME indication of the general trend in the Hawley-Smoot tariff act is given by a comparison of the average ad valorem rates, computed for each schedule. The averages stated below are reached by taking the imports for 1928, computing the duties then actually collected under the act of 1930 and their per cent on the imports, and then computing what would have been the per cent if the duties of 1930 had been in force on the same imports. Figures of this sort must be used with care; but they do indicate the direction in which the rates moved. They are taken from a compilation made by the Tariff Commission immediately after the passage of the act. It will be seen that there is some advance in each and every schedule, and that the greatest change is in the agricultural schedule:

AGRICULTURAL RATES, BY THE TARIFF ACTS OF 1922 AND OF 1930.	Act of 1922	Act of 1930
Chemicals, oils and paints.....	29.22	31.40
Earthen, earthenware and glassware.....	45.62	50.62
Metal and manufactures of.....	33.71	35.01
Wood and manufactures of.....	7.97	10.45
Sugar, molasses and manufactures of.....	67.85	77.21
Tobacco and manufactures of.....	63.09	64.78
Apparel products and other textiles.....	19.86	33.62
Spirits, wines and other beverages.....	36.48	47.44
Manufactures of cotton.....	40.27	46.42
Flax, hemp, jute and manila.....	18.16	19.14
Manufactures of silk.....	49.54	58.53
Manufactures of wool.....	56.36	58.13
Manufactures of rayon.....	62.68	53.62
Paper and books.....	24.72	26.05
Sundries.....	21.97	27.39

Looking at the act as a whole, one is struck with a certain futility in it. It indicates how liberally the advances on agricultural products were granted. In the main they are no more than gestures, made because the Republicans had vaunted the tariff as a never-failing remedy and were under bonds to keep their promises for this sort of relief. As regards manufactures, the long series of preceding tariff acts has left no large body of articles without heavy protection, indeed virtual prohibition. Only cracks and crannies could be found here and there in the protectionist wall, and the tariff is toward closing these, even though they may be of the smallest. But no further changes of much moment can be made on the manufactured articles.

When I speak of futility in this legislation the reader must bear in mind that it is said, after the way of economists, with an eye mainly to the permanent or long-run results. When it comes to the turn which things take for the time being, there must

be qualifications of the sort which the economist always has in mind, or should have. Temporary and unexpected shifts may occur which will seem to belie his words, and in this case to belie the characterization of futility.

At the very moment of writing, for example, comes the unexpected drought, which has cut down the corn crop and shot up the price. A flurry of this kind is of cardinal importance for the season, even though over any considerable period it will be seen to be no more than a flurry. Corn may be imported during the current season in substantial quantities; while its export in the form of swine products may cease for a year or so. The new import duty may keep up the price for the time being and really help the farmers. The hot partisan who preaches protection as the farmer's remedy will point with pride to this immediate and visible outcome.

Very few will stop to consider that the very meaning of a vast market and a world price is that they mitigate the irregularities of crops and supplies, and that this mitigation is a familiar and unquestioned gain. Such it is admitted to be when a failure of the potato crop in one part of the United States is offset by a good crop in another part, or when a government (as in France) follows the practice of lowering—not raising—import duties when a short crop causes a deficit and threatens a high price. General economic considerations of this kind rarely get attention in the tariff talk of the everyday farmer, and none at all in that of the vociferous politician. It is quite among the possibilities that in times to come the events of 1930 will be pointed to with pride as proving that the tariff saved the farmer from ruin.

Nay, it is possible that in future days the act will come to be glorified as having rescued the entire country from disaster. The present period of depression will run its course; in one year or two or three—how can any year soon?—matters will once more be moving smoothly and prosperously. Then the chronology and meaning of the events of 1929-30 will be forgotten by most people, and it will be possible to say that there was a great panic in 1929, and that the sovereign remedy was applied in the tariff act of 1930 and promptly brought a return of prosperity. Stranger talk is a familiar part of our tariff debates, nor is there any clear indication that it falls to serve the protectionist's turn. One hesitates to say, at least on this range of subjects, that it is not possible to fool all of the people all of the time.

History Repeats

From the New York Telegram.

MANY of the failures, defalcations and disasters of the business world today which discourage enterprise and leave labor unemployed come from the habits of speculation which always attend and follow a great war. A few years since, half the world was trying to become rich, not by industry and economy in one's own regular

business, but by speculation. But the man who speculates is a gambler, and a gambler is one who wishes to make money without paying the price; to accumulate by luck, not by industry.

The above was not written today, or yesterday. It was written several years after the Civil War by James Freeman Clarke.



WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.

WHEN Senator Robert Wagner of New York champions the cause of the laboring classes, he acts and speaks with a sympathy that is inspired by personal experience. The Senator, who is responsible for the most constructive unemployment legislation ever enacted by Congress, learned first-hand the meaning of poverty and economic insecurity.

Coming from Germany at the age of 1, little Bob Wagner made his initial acquaintance with this land of new opportunity from the basement of a New York house where his father worked as janitor. Here he absorbed an abundance of knowledge concerning the workingman and his problems. This knowledge was greatly supplemented during his boyhood battle for the education upon which he was determined. To this end, the young immigrant worked as a newsboy on the upper East Side of Manhattan, as a candy vendor in the parks, as a hatboy and hall boy, and finally, when he was a student at college, as a tutor to other students.

HIS graduation from law school was followed a few years later by his election to the State Assembly. From there he progressed to the State Senate (where he was leader for eight years), to the office of Lieutenant-Governor, the New York Supreme Court and to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court.

Senator Wagner's interest in labor legislation antedates by far his service in the United States Senate. As a member of the New York Senate, he led the victorious fight for a workman's compensation act, a measure which, in those days, was denounced as a half-raising piece of radicalism. Associated with him in this battle was Alfred E. Smith, a fellow legislator and friend. Smith was vice chairman of a commission headed by Wagner which investigated labor conditions in New York factories. There is a strong similarity in the early life struggles of these two men who together took up the cudgels on behalf of the workmen of their State.

UNLIKE his colleagues from New York, Senator Copeland, Mr. Wagner is not a prolific speech maker. When he does talk, however, he usually wins his audience. A clear, ringing voice and unimpaired sincerity and enthusiasm of manner lend color to his speeches, the solidity of which might otherwise discount the average listener. He is slightly below medium height, and his strongly modeled head and features reflect his Teutonic ancestry. Always affable and good tempered, the Senator is a courteous adversary in debate but a dangerous one. He is generally held to have one of the best, if not the best, legal mind in the Senate.

Although Mr. Wagner's foreign birth disqualifies him for the presidency, his career is regarded by many as a logical progression to one of two distinguished positions—a place in the Cabinet or on the Supreme Court.

HERE'S A PANACEA.

From the Los Angeles Times.
 If there were some way to induce the rich to spend more money and the poor to save it, then all of the political economists would be satisfied.

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JOHN G. NEIHARDT

The Test of Reality

SECOND PHYSICS. By Sir Oliver Lodge. (Greenberg, 160 Fifth Avenue, New York City, \$2.00.)

MANY times," says Sir Oliver Lodge, "it must have been urged that physics and metaphysics were interlocked at least to the extent that a physical event had a metaphysical cause, but hitherto no attempt had been made to imagine a metaphysical process for interaction. That, briefly, is the distinguished British physicist has undertaken to do in this volume.

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It will be surprising to find that Sir Oliver Lodge, in his book, "The Test of Reality," has made what may yet prove to be a considerable contribution in the direction of the metaphysical. Being a mechanical engineer, he approached the matter in the approved manner of scientific experiment from the physical side. He too got into the habit of looking for knowledge his data without reaching some precious theories.

The prevailing notion is "curious" the obvious reason that it logically excludes from the realm of "reality" the basic phenomena of consciousness and the range of values that distinguish the human mind from the rest of the rock and clay.

Mr. Lodge presents in a lucid way the absurdities that must result from such arbitrary limitation of "practical" human reality. He is building a background for the construction of a tentative scheme whereby the relation between physical and psychic might at least be considered. His attempt also

DECLINE IN EDUCATION

Committee Wants Instruction

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The first annual report of the Committee on Education of the House of Representatives, which was introduced today, shows a decline in the number of students in the United States.

The report, which was prepared by the committee's chairman, Mr. Elmer Morgan, shows that the number of students in the United States has declined from 1920 to 1929.

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Daily Article by

Calvin Coolidge

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NORTHAMPTON, Mass.,

Feb. 23.

IF the Government ever needs

to give work to the unemployed

an enlarged system of reforestation

would be a partial solution

free from objection. It would

not interfere with rates of

wages or marketing of prod-

uction in any of the existing in-

dustries. Operation could cease

without loss.

Every one knows we are rapidly

exhausting our timber supply.

The authorities state that of

our original 800,000,000

acres of virgin forest only about

10,000,000 acres remain. An-

nually forest fires sweep over

12,000,000 acres. We are cut-

ting off 10,000,000 acres more

which is about four times as

much as is replaced by natural

growth. We have planted less

than 2,000,000 acres.

The nation and some of the

states already have acquired

much land for growing timber.

Compared with what is needed

only a slight beginning has been

made in reforestation. Because

it has no immediate effect and

would serve no private interest,

governments have been too

slow to conserve, encourage and

replace our lumber supply.

We yet can not maintain our

present standards without a

generous use of wood. Under

the co-operation of Federal and

local governments, a national

policy of reforestation should

be adopted without delay.

—CALVIN COOLIDGE.

PLENTY OF LAUGHS

IN "MANY A SLIP"

Bright Comedy, New to St.

Louis, Pleases Audience

at the Orpheum.

MANY A SLIP—A comedy in three acts by

Edith Fitzgerald, presented at the

Orpheum Theater by Mary Hart with

the following cast:

Patricia Costello, Dorothy Chard

Ted Carter, Robert Smith

Emily Cooper, May R. Hurst

Samuel J. Gorman, Owen Davis Jr.

William Costello, Kenneth Burton

Stan Price

After "Many a Slip," the

comedy which began a two

weeks' stay at the Orpheum

Theater last night, really got under

way, it moved swiftly and most

hilariously through the rest of the

three acts and proved to be the

best light entertainment which

Mary Hart has offered with her

stock company this season.

Three visiting artists were

brought from New York for roles

in the play, new to St. Louis, which

called, altogether, for a cast of only

seven persons. The newcomers

were Dorothy Sands, who created

the leading role in the piece when

it was originally produced; pretty

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

AT SAN ANGELO, TEX.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jefferson

Moore, Upperville, Va., are

expected home Sunday from

Upperville Island off the coast of

Florida, where they have been

spending a few weeks. Mrs. Moore

and her mother, Mrs. R. L. Moore,

left St. Louis several weeks ago

for a cruise to the West Indies,

but left the boat at Havana. Mrs.

Moore accompanied Mrs. Moore to

Miami and then joined Mr. Moore,

who had been at Long Key, Fla.,

on a fishing trip, in Upperville. Mrs.

Moore is in Palm Beach and will

remain until early spring.

Other St. Louisans at Upperville

are Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Desloge of

the Clayton road; Mr. and Mrs.

Henry J. Butler of the Upper La-

dow road, and Mr. and Mrs. Al-

bert T. Terry, 5231 Westminster

place.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Ford Sr.

of the Park Plaza have as their

guest for a few days their daughter,

Mrs. James Avery Draper of

Wilmington, Del., who is being

entertained informally.

Mrs. Elma H. Benton, principal

of Homer Hall, has returned from

Detroit, where she attended the

annual meeting of the National As-

sociation of Principals of Private

Schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell E. Lortz,

557 Lindell boulevard, and Mrs.

Lortz's brother and sister-in-law,

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Pingree,

are motoring to Fort Lauderdale,

Fla., where they will join their

parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Pingree,

43 Washington terrace, to the

spending the winter there.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thornburg

Ravenscroft, 625 Skinker road, will

have as their guest during the late

winter their daughter, Mrs. J.

Frederick Brown of Denver, who

will arrive about the middle of

March.

Mrs. Edward Morton Banister,

4905 Argyle place, her young son,

Edward Jr., and her father, Henry

Cooper Whiteside, who are spend-

ing the winter in Phoenix, Ariz.,

have been joined by Mr. Banister,

who motored West.

Mrs. Margaret Ryan, daughter of

Judge and Mrs. O'Neill, Mrs. Ryan

and her son, Mr. Ryan, 29

Windsor place, has had as her

guest for the week-end, Miss Del-

cina Keith of Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ferguson

Fowler, 43 Kingsbury place, have

returned from a midwinter trip to

Florida. They made the trip by

motor.

Mrs. John Preston Phillips has

departed for her home in Yorkers,

N. Y., after a visit with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C.

Lake Sr., 4360 Westminster place.

The wedding of Miss Hazel

Whitson, daughter of Mr. May

Whitson, 4509 Natural Bridge

GEORG SZELL ARRIVES

TO DIRECT SYMPHONY

Viennese Conductor Begins Re-

hearsals for Last Five Weeks

of Present Season.

George Szell, Viennese conductor,

who has charge of the St. Louis

Symphony Orchestra for the last

five weeks of the present season,

arrived yesterday and began re-

hearsals with the orchestra this

morning. He brought with him

from Prague, where he is now the

director of German music at the

opera, the scores and equipment

for several novelties which he will

play during his engagement.

Among these are Mozart's Ger-

man dances which require the use

of sleigh bells and a postilion horn,

both of which were in Szell's bag-

gage when he arrived. He will

also play Stravinsky's arrangement

of airs from the opera of Perce-

val, called the "Pulcinella" suite,

an overture, "Much Ado About

Nothing," by Eric Korngold, the

"Night Music from Mehlert's 'Sev-

enth Symphony," Richard Strauss

little known "Perpetuum Mobile,"

Beethoven's second Leonore over-

ture which is scarcely ever played,

and a Bulgarian rhapsody by a

modern composer named Wladig-

HAM BAKED WITH PINEAPPLE

Use Fruit in Connection With Sugar Syrup for Basting.

When baking a smoked ham with cloves and brown sugar, try making a syrup of the sugar and a little water and use it to baste the ham with every 10 or 15 minutes, instead of sprinkling the sugar on the ham fat.

The syrup gives a better flavor—that is, the flavor penetrates the ham better when used in this way, and the ham has a glazed appearance that is very attractive. Stick whole cloves close together all over the fat surface after removing the rind.

Make the syrup with one cup brown sugar and one-third cup water, boiling it for two or three minutes. Pour a little over the ham when it is put in the oven, and use the rest to baste with.

One-half cup crushed canned pineapple added to the syrup is a great improvement in flavor.

A Wise Precaution.

Potatoes and parsnips discolor after paring, so should be kept in cold water until cooked.

A Quick Way to Prepare PRUNES

Here is a quick and easy way to prepare prunes.

Put them into a pan or dish and cover them with cold water. Let stand a few minutes.

Drain, and they're ready to eat like confections.

Or steam them if you like them extra juicy.

Be sure they're SUNSWEET. These fancy California Prunes are tender and plump just as they come from the canon. Many people like them that way. Others prefer them just a bit softer, and the cold water or steaming does it.

Remember, there is as much difference in prunes as in any food or fruit you eat.

SUNSWEET are the cream of the crop, sugar-ripe, full of fine flavor, full of good health. Good and good for everybody.

Sealed in 1- and 2-lb. cans to keep them clean and fresh.

SUNSWEET California PRUNES

Home Economics

ROAST BEEF FAVORED FOR GUEST DINNER

Especially When Served With Savory Brown Gravy and Yorkshire Pudding.

From early days roast beef has occupied an important place on the menu, and rightly so, because few cuts of meat are more tempting than well-cooked roast beef.

Cuts of beef suitable for roasting are: The chuck or fifth rib roast and the round, the rump, and the prime ribs. Wipe, put on a rack in a dripping pan, fat side up, rub with salt, and dredge meat and pan with flour. The lean parts should be rubbed with dripping. Place in a hot oven to sear quickly and thus prevent escape of the juices. When roast has been lightly crusted, reduce the heat and baste with fat which has tried out, if meat is very thin, add fat trimmings.

Baste every 10 minutes. Twelve minutes to every pound of beef, with 15 minutes added to the total time, is allowed if a rare roast is desired. Allow more time if meat is liked well done.

When meat is about half done, cut it over and dredge with flour.

Remove some of the fat from pan, leaving four tablespoons. Place on back of range, add four tablespoons flour and stir until well browned. Add gradually one and one-half cups boiling water, cook five minutes, season with salt and pepper and strain.

Yorkshire Pudding. Yorkshire pudding is often served with roast beef. To make this, one-half teaspoon salt, one cup milk and two eggs.

Mix salt and flour, add milk gradually to form a smooth paste, then add eggs beaten very light. Cover bottom of hot pan with some of the fat left from the roast beef and pour in mixture about one-half inch deep. Bake for 20 minutes in a hot oven, basting when well risen with some of the fat of the roast beef. Cut in squares and serve with the beef. The pudding may be placed under the roast in the pan which holds the roast beef to catch the gravy from the roast.

One of the modern ways of serving roast beef is with baked pears. When roast is nearly finished, place large halves of canned pears, drained and dipped lightly in flour, about it, baste and cook until brown. Serve around the roast.

ECONOMY ORANGE CAKES

Fruit Juice May Be Substituted for the Usual Milk.

One-half cup butter, two-thirds cup sugar, two cups flour, two teaspoons baking powder, two eggs, three-fourths cup milk or three-fourths cup orange juice and water, one-fourth teaspoon salt, grated rind of one and one-half oranges.

Cream the butter and sugar together, add well-beaten egg yolks. Mix and sift dry ingredients and add to first mixture, alternately with milk. Cut and fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites and grated orange rind.

Pour into greased muffin pans and bake in a hot oven for about 25 minutes. Serves 10. May be made into layers.

Salt Brings Out Flavor.

A pinch of salt in the cake, even though it is made with butter, will relieve the flat taste. A little salt in the fudge brings out the delicious butter taste. A pinch dropped on the coffee in the top of the percolator will make the flavor just a bit more delicious.

Turnip Salad.

Cut small white or yellow turnips in half inch dice and cook for 10 minutes in boiling water to which has been added, for two cups turnip cubes, one teaspoon salt, and one-half teaspoon sugar. Drain and cool. When cold add one-half cup well seasoned French dressing and let stand for half an hour. Drain, sprinkle thickly with minced parsley and mix lightly with a half cup diced celery. Be careful not to break the turnip cubes. Arrange on lettuce and mask with thin mayonnaise. Garnish with paprika or with narrow strips of pimento.

Daisy Salad.

Cut crosswise slices one-half inch thick, from a head of firm lettuce. Place each slice on a plate and arrange on it alternating sections of orange and grapefruit, or of orange alone, in a flower petal fashion. Chop dates or stewed prunes and mix with a little grated orange rind. Shape in small balls and use for the center of the daisy. Serve with a fork until blended, then add gradually one-fourth cup evaporated milk or thin cream. When this is mixed add slowly one-fourth cup orange juice and pour over the salad.

Mixed Vegetable Salad.

Soak one tablespoon gelatin in one-fourth cup cold water for five minutes, then dissolve in one and one-half cups boiling water. Add one-fourth cup lemon juice, one-half teaspoon salt, two teaspoons sugar and enough green coloring to tint a pale green. Cool, and while cooling mix together one-half cup shredded raw cabbage, one-half cup diced celery, one-fourth cup shredded raw carrot, and one teaspoon minced onion. Add to the cooled gelatin mixture and pour into individual molds to chill and harden. Turn out on lettuce and serve with mayonnaise or cooked salad dressing.

Vegetable-Cheese Salad.

Mix one cup cottage cheese with salt, pepper and paprika to season, then shape into balls about one inch in diameter and roll in grated raw carrot. Mix two cups fresh cooked or canned spinach, that has been well drained, with hot French dressing and shape in small mounds. Turn out on lettuce and surround with the cheese balls, allowing five or six to a serving. Serve with mayonnaise as a hearty luncheon salad. Hot biscuits or raisin bread sandwiches are good with it.

OYSTERS A LA OSCAR

This Dish Is Named After a Famous New York Chef.

Two dozen oysters on half shell, one-fourth seeded green pepper, one-half medium onion, four slices bacon, one and one-half teaspoons Roquefort cheese, one and one-half teaspoons butter, one teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, one teaspoon Chop green pepper and onion very fine and combine. Cut bacon with scissors into thirds crosswise and then in halves lengthwise. Melt butter, Roquefort cheese and add Worcestershire sauce. Place on each oyster a piece of bacon, onion and pepper mixture and butter and cheese mixture. Broil in shells for 10-15 minutes until oysters are tender.

Pie Crust Mixtures.

There are excellent ready mixed pie crust mixtures available in most shops for housewives hesitant about attempting to mix pastry. The addition of a little cold water in all that is needed, and they have been a blessing to many an amateur cook.

PROBLEM OF SIMPLE SALADS ANSWERED

These Recipes Give a Number of Combinations, Many of Which Are Quite New.

There are inexpensive salads made from fruits and vegetables that are most attractive in appearance and appetizing in flavor. It is always more difficult to provide adequate meals at a low cost, but when one has some knowledge of food values, and of the amounts of vegetables, fruits, meat and cereals that are necessary for good nutrition, the problem is considerably simplified. Without some such knowledge it is almost impossible.

Cabbage is a cheap winter vegetable that is high in nutritive value and that can be made into a number of delicious salads. The citrus fruits that are such a good source of vitamin C are inexpensive just now, especially the small fruit which is just as high in food value as the largest; bananas and apples are also relatively cheap, and the dried fruits, prunes, dates, figs and raisins must also be included in the list of inexpensive winter salad possibilities. Celery, onions, cabbage, canned tomatoes, carrots and turnips are among the least expensive of the winter vegetables, and may all be used in making most attractive salad combinations. The following recipes give a number of combinations, many of which are quite new.

Cabbage Special.

Make individual nests of shredded cabbage that has been mixed with French dressing and fill them with a mixture of equal parts diced apples and diced celery. Pour the following dressing over the apples and serve very cold. For the dressing mix together one-half teaspoon salt, two teaspoons sugar and one-fourth teaspoon mustard. Add to one-fourth cup butter and work with a fork until blended; then add gradually one-fourth cup evaporated milk or thin cream. When this is mixed add slowly one-fourth cup orange juice and pour over the salad.

Scrape New Potatoes.

The work of scraping new potatoes, carrots, parsnips and celery is made much easier if the vegetables are first well scrubbed and washed, then covered with boiling water for two or three minutes. The skin slips off at a touch of the knife.

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SARDINES BIG OVAL CANS 25

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NEW CABBAGE CARROTS OR TURNIPS 4 lbs. 10

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SWEET POTATOES DE LUXE FOR THE COMPANY MEAL

Filled With a Stuffing Containing Nuts, Pineapple and Marshmallows.

This recipe calls for evenly shaped and uniformly sized sweet potatoes or yams. Wash them well and then grease them lightly with lard or cooking fat. Bake in a medium oven until soft to the touch.

Cut the sweet potatoes in halves lengthwise and remove the pulp. To each cup of sweet potato pulp add two tablespoons of rich milk and one teaspoon of butter and one tablespoon sugar. Beat these until the pulp becomes light and fluffy. Then add one tablespoon chopped seeded raisins, and one tablespoon chopped pecan kernels and mix well.

Place this stuffing back in the shells. Do not pack the material in. Over the top of the potato place one teaspoon crushed pineapple, then over this a thin layer of marshmallow. Again place in the oven and reheat in order to blend the flavors, make the stuffing lighter, melt and brown the marshmallow over the tops of the shells.

The same proportions may be used as given in the recipe above and bake the stuffing in a casserole. The pineapple and marshmallows form a rich crust over the casserole.

Cranberry Ice.

One quart cranberries, one pound sugar, one pint water, juice of two lemons.

Cook the cranberries in the water until they are tender, and then strain; add the sugar and cook until this is thoroughly dissolved. Cool; stir in the strained lemon juice and freeze to the consistency of water ice. Serve as a meat, fish or fowl accompaniment.

QUEEN ANNE TARTLETS

HAVE A CREAM FILLING

Individual Pies or Tarts Are Quite the Vogue for Family Service.

Cover inverted tartlet pans with good pastry and bake in a hot oven—450 degrees—for 10 minutes, or until well browned. Remove from the oven and cool. Drain a medium-sized can of large white cherries and remove the pit from each, keeping the cherry as whole as possible. Put the cherry juice in a saucepan with one-third cup sugar and boil down to one cupful. Color a deep red with any good food color and add the cherries. Simmer for eight to 10 minutes, then skim out the cherries and thicken the juice with one tablespoon cornstarch mixed with a little cold water.

Sauté one cup milk. Mix two well beaten eggs with one-fourth cup sugar and one teaspoon cornstarch, then add the hot milk gradually. Return to the saucepan and stir over a slow fire until thickened and smooth. Remove from the fire and add one-fourth teaspoon almond extract.

Cool and when cold put a tablespoonful in each tart shell. Cover the cream with six or eight cherries and pour the thickened juice over the cherries. Chill before serving.

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Cover inverted tartlet pans with good pastry and bake in a hot oven—450 degrees—for 10 minutes, or until well browned. Remove from the oven and cool. Drain a medium-sized can of large white cherries and remove the pit from each, keeping the cherry as whole as possible. Put the cherry juice in a saucepan with one-third cup sugar and boil down to one cupful. Color a deep red with any good food color and add the cherries. Simmer for eight to 10 minutes, then skim out the cherries and thicken the juice with one tablespoon cornstarch mixed with a little cold water.

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Burglars at Another Place Take
Safe Into Ice Box to
Open It.

Morris Klep, a grocer, 2632
North Leffingwell avenue, was
robbed of \$50 by an armed Negro,
who entered the store this morn-
ing. The robber tore the telephone
from the wall and fled.

Charles Reineke, a grocer, 2308
North Market street, reported that
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place behind a counter into the
icebox, where they knocked off the
combination and stole \$370.

A pair of cuff links, set with
diamonds, and a dime savings bank
containing about \$3 completed the
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Askes Scattered From Tower.
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The ashes of George H. Poots
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Spaghetti & Mushrooms Sauce
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Red Circle Coffee, lb.	27c	29c	2c
Bokar Coffee, lb.	33c	35c	2c
Karo Blue Label Syrup, No. 1 1/2	11c	12c	1c
Johnson's Floor Wax, small	29c	34c	5c
Iona Salmon, tall	2-25c	38c	13c
Kraft Cheese, 1/4 Lb.	2-25c	28c	3c
Iona Tomatoes, No. 2 1/2	2-25c	30c	5c
N. B. C. Soda Crackers, 2 lbs.	25c	28c	3c
Nucoa Oleomargarine	21c	27c	6c
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Sunsweet Prunes, 2 lbs.	19c	35c	16c

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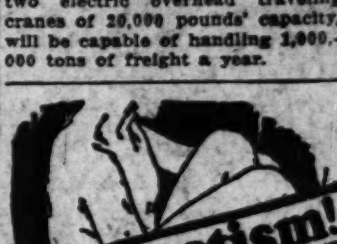
Invitations to participate in the
formal opening Friday of the
\$400,000 Mead Johnson terminal at
Evansville, Ind., important center
of industry and raw materials on
the canalized Ohio, have been re-
ceived here by Lachlan Macleay,
secretary of the Mississippi Valley
Association; Scott R. de Kins and
other officers of the Chamber of

Commerce, and by L. W. Childress
and Carl J. Baer of the Mississippi
Valley Barge Line.

Operation of the terminal will
enable that line, the American
Barge Line and independent tow-
ing concerns to serve Evansville di-
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its railroads. Those lines connect
with Federal barges for St. Louis
at Cairo.

The terminal, with 90,000 square
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WINNIPEG WHEAT IS UNCHANGED TO LOWER

Liverpool Market Also Shows Fractional Decline in Price.

By the Associated Press.
WINNIPEG, Feb. 23.—Wheat prices staged a rally in the closing minutes of today's session, regained the greater part of an early decline and finished the day with prices 1/4 cent lower to 1/2 cent higher than Saturday's final figures.

May wheat closed at 63 1/2, down 1/4 cent; July closed at 64 1/2, down 1/4 cent; October finished at 67, a gain of 1/4 cent. Exports over the week-end totalled 200,000 bushels. Advice from Liverpool, it was said, indicated a pause in the demand by millers with Canadian and Argentine shipments reducing their offers.

Cash wheat and coarse grain trading was devoid of feature with prices holding in sympathy with wheat.

Closing prices were:
Wheat..... 63 1/2 64 1/2 65 1/2
Oats..... 21 1/2 22 1/2 23 1/2
Rye..... 35 1/2 36 1/2 37 1/2
Barley..... 26 27 28
Flax..... 105 106 107

Wheat Lower at Liverpool.
By the Associated Press.
LIVERPOOL, Feb. 23.—Wheat futures closed quiet.

High. Low. Close. Close.
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Murray Corporation Report.
By the Associated Press.
DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 23.—C. W. Avery, president of the Murray Corporation of America, announced today that the company and its subsidiaries for the year ended Dec. 31, 1930, earned \$240,317.31, as against \$129,800 in 1929. The 1930 earnings are equivalent to about 30 cents a share, against \$1.69 a share in 1929. The balance sheet of the corporation shows current assets of \$8,201,056.59 and current liabilities of \$1,147,524.83.

Canadian Auto Output Up.
By the Associated Press.
OTTAWA, Feb. 23.—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today that 6495 automobiles were manufactured in Canada during January. This is 16 per cent more than in December, 1930, but 37 per cent under January, 1930. The bureau's index number, adjusted for seasonal variation, shows production to be 60 per cent normal.

Named to Stockholders' Advisory Board.
Dr. F. E. Woodruff has been elected a member of the stockholders' advisory board of the Security National Bank.

LEAD ONE UP \$2.50;
ZINC REDUCED \$1

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JOPLIN, Mo., Feb. 23.—Lead concentrate price was advanced \$2.50 a ton to \$47.50 in the Joplin market last week while the zinc price was reduced \$1 a ton to \$24 for fluates and \$23 for prime fluates.

Smelters reported a purchase of 3450 tons of zinc, but the fact that more than 1000 tons of zinc was purchased on Friday and Saturday, the new price, more than 1000 tons of the reported purchase was a carryover from the previous week and was zinc that brought \$23 a ton while another 900 tons was zinc taken on contract which will have no market price until more than 3000 tons of zinc is sold at not more than one week.

Another 250 tons of the week's purchase was zinc produced by controlled mines and sold to the patent company. The deal, which has been broken twice during the present year, was brought back into the market last week by the smelters reducing offering. Most of all of the companies that have been selling during the two recent dealweeks were aligned with the operators who have been raising the price decline in former weeks.

Increased production of zinc in the district is thought to have prompted the smelters to lower their offer for zinc, but this factor has taken a sudden change. A drastic curtailment of production, which will curtail output 18 per cent the present week, has been placed in operation. The eight mills of the Commerce Mining & Royalty Co. have been closed since last week, and will be closed for at least two weeks. It has been announced, while three other companies have been closed since last week, that production will be reduced from 7300 tons, as of last week, to 5000 tons this week. A further reduction is contemplated.

HOG MARKET IS LOWER AT START OF WEEK

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Feb. 23.—(U. S. Department of Agriculture.) Hogs—Receipts 14,000; higher market, from 10 to 25c lower; others mostly steady; top 770c; late sales 770c down to 760c; 210 lbs. \$7.50; 250 lbs. \$7.50; 300 lbs. \$7.50; 350 lbs. \$7.50; 400 lbs. \$7.50; 450 lbs. \$7.50; 500 lbs. \$7.50; 550 lbs. \$7.50; 600 lbs. \$7.50; 650 lbs. \$7.50; 700 lbs. \$7.50; 750 lbs. \$7.50; 800 lbs. \$7.50; 850 lbs. \$7.50; 900 lbs. \$7.50; 950 lbs. \$7.50; 1000 lbs. \$7.50; 1050 lbs. \$7.50; 1100 lbs. \$7.50; 1150 lbs. \$7.50; 1200 lbs. \$7.50; 1250 lbs. \$7.50; 1300 lbs. \$7.50; 1350 lbs. \$7.50; 1400 lbs. \$7.50; 1450 lbs. \$7.50; 1500 lbs. \$7.50; 1550 lbs. \$7.50; 1600 lbs. \$7.50; 1650 lbs. \$7.50; 1700 lbs. \$7.50; 1750 lbs. \$7.50; 1800 lbs. \$7.50; 1850 lbs. \$7.50; 1900 lbs. \$7.50; 1950 lbs. \$7.50; 2000 lbs. \$7.50; 2050 lbs. \$7.50; 2100 lbs. \$7.50; 2150 lbs. \$7.50; 2200 lbs. \$7.50; 2250 lbs. \$7.50; 2300 lbs. \$7.50; 2350 lbs. \$7.50; 2400 lbs. \$7.50; 2450 lbs. \$7.50; 2500 lbs. \$7.50; 2550 lbs. \$7.50; 2600 lbs. \$7.50; 2650 lbs. \$7.50; 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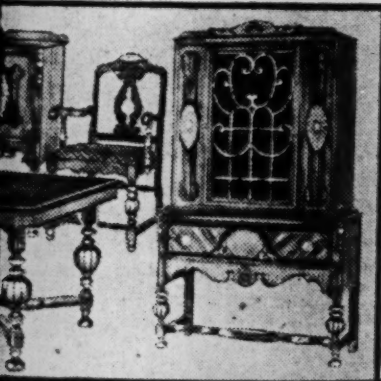
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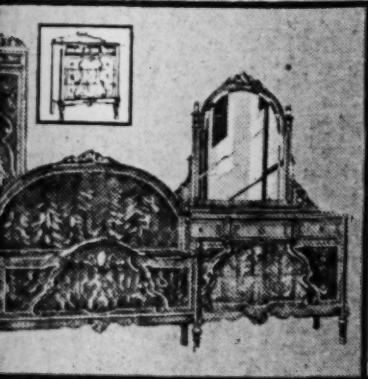
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FITTER, FATTER AND FAIRER



The nine women in Washington, D. C., who lived for four weeks on a diet costing 28 cents a day. The food included butter or milk, eggs, peanut and soy bean products, cottage cheese, oranges and tomatoes.

NO REST FOR THE FAMOUS

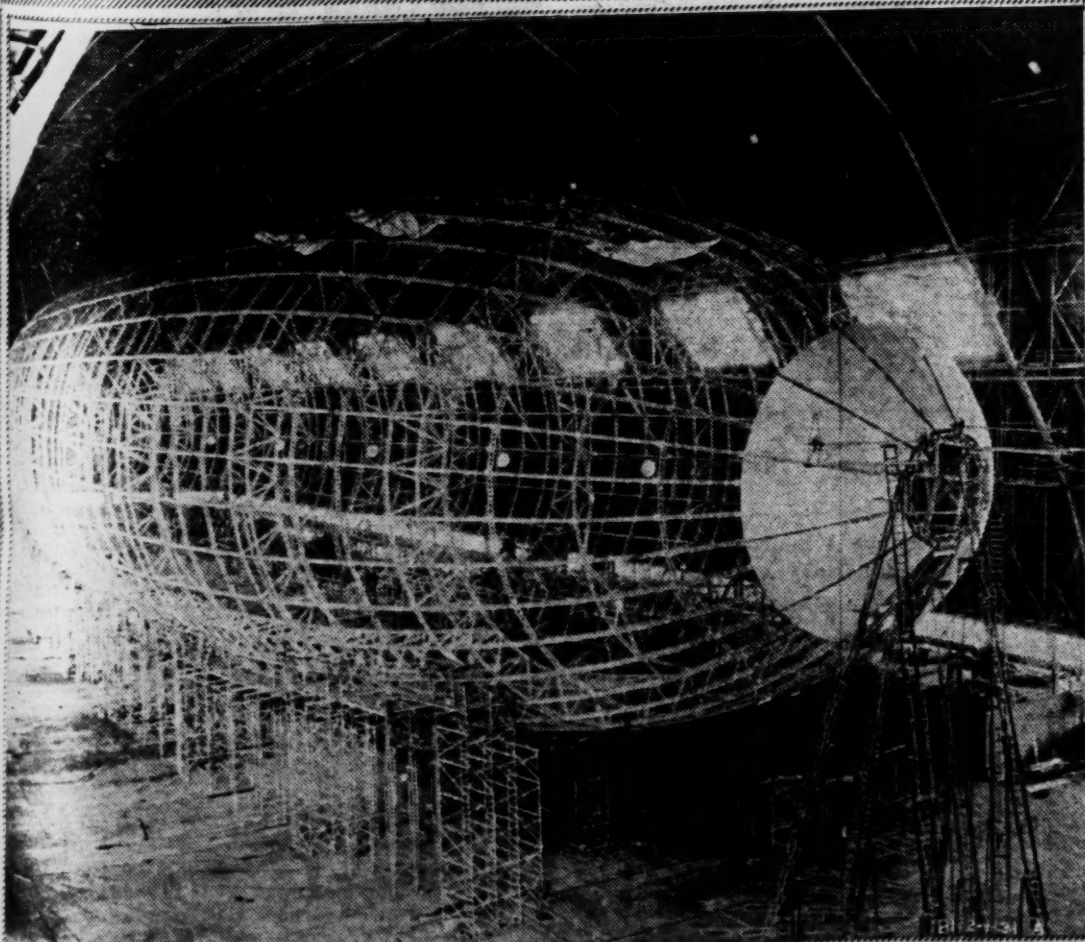


Miss Jeanne Juille who, as Miss France, won the title of Miss Europe in the Battle of Flowers celebration at Cannes. She is to come to America to compete in a beauty contest.



Rogers Hornsby, manager of the Chicago Cubs, and Mrs. Hornsby, at Catalina Island pose for his son, Billy.

THE NEW NAVY DIRIGIBLE



The "Akron" which is being built at Akron, Ohio. The framework is to be covered with a newly devised fabric, part of which is already stretched over the nose of the ship.



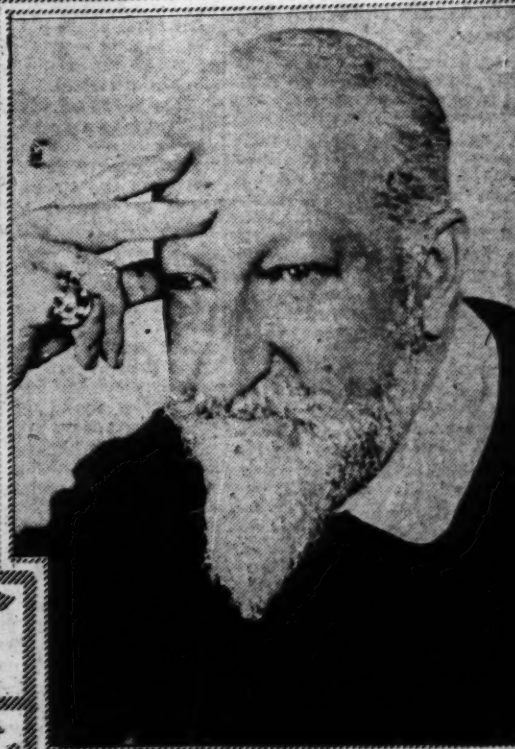
Lord Tennyson, grandson of the English poet, who has come to this country for a visit.

YES, WE HAVE SOME BANANAS



A picturesque group in the annual winter carnival at Nice.

IN EXILE



Ex-King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, now living in Coburg, Bavaria, where he will celebrate his birthday next Thursday.

E. H. McReynolds of St. Louis, assistant president of the Missouri Pacific lines, goes for a ride in Mexico City and dresses for the part.

FINANCIAL WIZARD IN COURT



Albert W. Benham, dethroned Midas of Belvidere, Ill., surrendering to Sheriff Floyd Smith to answer charges of obtaining money under false pretenses.

A BUST FOR THE VICE PRESIDENT



Mr. Curtis being presented with a bust of Washington by Representative Sol Bloom, of New York, of the George Washington Bi-Centennial Commission.

A Girl Magician

Jane Thurston Prepares to Follow in the Footsteps of Her Noted Father.

—By FAY PROFFER—

REARED in a fairylike atmosphere with "Hokus-Pokus" and "Conjurokus," two little imaginary devils granting her every wish, Jane Thurston, daughter of the famous magician, Howard Thurston, is finding magic in realism a serious but absorbing work. She is appearing at the American Theater with her father and in addition to a song and dance number is seen in a series of tricks in magic she has learned under his tutelage. Jane Thurston, who is said to be the only woman magician since the retirement of Madam Hermann, is just 19 and her blonde bobbed hair and youth add much to her charm. She is seriously studying her father's art that she may carry on his name in the theatrical world when he decides to retire.

"I have always lived in the land of make-believe," she said. "The two little red devils that appear on my father's shoulders in his pictures have been real persons to me. 'Hokus-Pokus' and 'Conjurokus' have always been next to my parents—my best friends and playmates. Anything I wanted they produced it for me. As a very small child I asked 'Hokus-Pokus' for lollypops, chewing gum and even ice cream cones and he put them in daddy's pockets. All I had to do to get the things that meant happiness to me and my playmates, was to tell my father and he made 'Hokus-Pokus' get them for us."

"The children of the entire neighborhood spent much of their time at our house in Beechurst, Long Island. We had a regular menagerie: lions, an elephant, horses and ponies and no end of rabbits and guinea pigs, that father used in the show. Indeed, the fields about the place are now full of wild rabbits that have at times gotten away from us. And my father could really make things appear and disappear and do all sorts of amazing tricks that gave us delightful times. Like all children, I, too, wanted a pony and cart and one birthday at my party, father suggested that I ask 'Hokus-Pokus' for one and I solemnly repeated 'Hokus-Pokus' three times, adding a flourishing 'Presto!' when to our utter amazement the pony and cart came down from the sky. We could hardly believe our own eyes! But there stood the pony, with some of the leaves still clinging to his harness. Another time I was ill and wished that my cousin, Hilda, could come to visit me but my father discouraged my asking 'Conjurokus' until the next day and when I did ask him, the door opened and there stood Hilda, bag and baggage, and my faithful little imp all the way from New Jersey."

"My parents trained me mentally and physically for this work from the time I was a small girl. To be a magician one must also be an actor or actress for each trick is like a playlet; some are serious and others are humorous. An actor has his lines written for him and he simply learns them and acts the story as he is directed, but a magician creates his own tricks and not only has to rely on his own ability to put his work across but on that of his assistants, his mechanical equipment and his lighting effects. He must never lose his temper when a thing goes wrong, for he must keep his audience happy if he is to deceive them pleasantly."

"There is co-ordination of movement to consider, for one has to think and use his feet and hands at the same time. There is no guesswork in performing tricks in magic. Not only is the quickness of the hand important but much depends upon the direction of the foot movement. Then there is the voice, for one must keep his audience entertained while mystifying it. In preparation I studied the piano to keep my hand supple and did trapeze work until I thought I was almost good enough for the circus. Dancing and dribbling a football with my toes hours every day developed my sense of feeling in my toes. I have always played tennis and have spent much time swimming to keep fit."

"My father, has above everything, taught me to be prepared for anything and to expect everything to go wrong, for even he, in 40 years has not produced a perfect trick, nor has any other magician. There is always room for improvement in everything in magic and there is no end of interest in this work, for we never finish it. In one of my numbers I have the assistance of 20 people and unless we all work in perfect unison and with great precision the whole thing is apt to fall."

"Some tricks are pure manipulation while others are done through misdirection; that is, certain little things happen on the stage to divert the attention of the audience from the magician for the fraction of a minute. The lights may flare up or die down; a gun may be fired or an attendant make his appearance for a second."

"One of my most difficult tricks is making the paper cone and filling it several times with flowers. Another one I like is shooting the canary into the electric light. I think I like the black art best for I can have more fun doing it. We always entertain at the hospitals for crippled children and now I am helping my father in this work. I have an hour or so every morning to answer all their little letters that follow us."

"According to my father, who spends a great deal of his time teaching me, I have a long way to go to be an artist but I am taking the work seriously and find it a fascinating art. When I have had more experience we hope to produce a magical musical comedy my father has written around a fairy who saves her wand and performs all sorts of magic."

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A PIECE OF HER MIND

By ELSIE McCORMICK

The Pipe Problem

CAN'T somebody invent a pipe that will stay lit for at least four minutes? I do not ask this because I happen to be an addict of that form of the weed; it merely occurs to me that such an invention would be a boon to the mothers, wives and sweethearts of pipe-smoking men.

I have nothing against the pipe-smoker in general—he is, as a rule, of an easily domesticated type and a genial asset to the average hearth. The difficulty is, however, that as soon as he starts on an interesting topic, such as the color of one's eyes or a new style in sapphire bracelet, the pipe suddenly demands his attention by going out. By the time the conversation is renewed he has forgotten the eyes or the bracelet and begins to talk about the new low hit by Court 'Plaster' prefatory.

As the confirmed pipe-smoker frequently carries his little furnace into the street, strolling with him becomes fraught with problems. It is like talking with little Laughing Water, the popular guiding spirit from the Great Beyond. Just as the conversation becomes interesting, one turns to make an intriguing remark and discovers that one's pipe is no longer there.

A reddish glow, it is evening, emerges from a doorway about a quarter of a block in the rear and the form of one's companion gradually takes shape behind it. By the time he has caught up, the third of the conversation has been lost in a mass of traffic.

This habit of disappearing into doorways is a special cross of the pipe-smoker's spouse. Many ladies who appear to be talking to themselves on the street are really the wives of pipe addicts—gentlemen who are anywhere from two doors to two blocks behind. Sometimes after 10 or 20 years of this the lady takes on the highway even though her husband is nowhere about.

Driving with a pipe devotee has many thrills other than cardiac. A curious effort is made to get the car to the corner for the dawn of the red light, thus allowing time for pipe-lighting before the tint changes to emerald. About one time in five this is successfully achieved. The other four times are characterized by hairbrained driving, a little assorted profanity and the wrecking of an interesting discourse.

Many wives would be thankful if only Emily Post would permit pipes at formal dinners. A devotee usually takes his anyway, just in case, thus causing his spouse to frown warningly across the table. Every time she sees him fingering something in his pocket.

Catching the glance, he stops his wistful fingering, but his manner is absent-minded and he indicates by his conduct that he regards the party as a total bust. If he helps himself to a cigarette, he generally handles it as if it were a repellent object with which no real man should associate.

It would be a great boon to ladies whose guiding stars threw pipe-smokers into their lives if (1) a pipe that would stay lit for long periods could be invented, and if (2) men were allowed to take their favorite incinerators to dinner parties.

The narghile, or Turkish water pipe, does not seem to require frequent relighting, but unfortunately its size unfit it for an active social career.

Child-Health Pictures Reach 75,000 a Month

MORE than 75,000 children and adults monthly are learning to live healthfully through films and exhibits distributed by the children's bureau of the Department of Labor.

Women's clubs, baby clinics, parent-teacher organizations, schools and colleges make the greatest use of the exhibits, reports show. One of the most popular films is "Sun Babies," showing the beneficial effect of sunlight in preventing rickets.

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Youngsters Take Up Bridge in a Big Way

Some of Them Become Expert Players
—Noted Teachers Say Children Are Good Pupils Because They Seldom Forget Their Lessons—Girls Rated Better Than Boys.



NEW YORK, Feb. 21.

TO the very young generation of today, casino means a place to dine and dance, rather than an amusing game, and London Bridge means a contract.

Where, several years ago, simple division and fractions marked the limits of the nine-year-old child's mathematical research, today the rule of eleven ranks equally in importance.

Encouraged by some parents who have lofty social ambitions and are confident that the playing of a whack-

ing good game of bridge will assure their offspring's future popularity, and by the other parents and teachers who consider the game excellent mental and ethical training, bridge lessons have become as integral a part of the nine and ten-year-old child's life as dancing and French lessons.

MORE than 20 per cent of the requests for governesses which come to the Child Training Institute, a bureau specializing in young women trained in the fundamentals of child psychology, stipulate that they must play bridge.

"We find the game an invaluable asset in the handling of difficult children," said Mrs. Grace Lapham, head of the institute. "It teaches them good sportsmanship. One of our governesses was in charge of a particularly spoiled nine-year-old girl who was enthusiastic over bridge. Where in a more naive age she might have been bribed to behave well and do her lessons with the promise of a peppermint stick or a bedtime story, the greatest inducement for her was the prospect of a rubber."

GRATZ SCOTT agreed with Mr. Whitehead as to the value of bridge as a socializing factor. He, too, has taught many children of nine and ten years.

"Girls make better bridge players than boys," announced Mr. Scott, draping himself over a sofa in the reception room of the Cavendish Club, "just as the average woman is a better player than the average man, although the 100 ranking men in any country will outshine in brilliance of play the 100 ranking women. But the girls learn more quickly and perhaps because, as a rule, they have not the strong gambling instincts of boys, they

"Bridge is also a rainy-day pastime, second to none. Homes are small these days. There isn't the large nursery for romping, nor the attic where formerly a child could whoop and play Indian. Neighbors must be considered. Besides, the children are likely to become excited and irritable. So in bad weather they now play bridge and at the same time all unconsciously, are developing their minds."

BUT some parents, not content with the semi-expert teaching of governesses, pay as much as \$50 an hour to have their small children initiated into the secret rites of auction and contract.

"I have taught many children of nine and ten years," said Wilbur C. Whitehead, who combines the role of father confessor and teacher. Clad in a powder-blue woolen lounge robe, dark trousers and a blue shirt and tie, he bent forward in his chair and peered over his globular waist at the trim black bows on his patent-leather pumps.

"Children make excellent bridge players and cannot begin too young," continued Mr. Whitehead. "I should say at nine or ten years, depending upon their precociousness. Children have the study habit which adults lose and which enables them to learn very easily. Besides, they have excellent memories. Like the elephant, they never forget. And for this reason stage children, like adult actors and actresses, make the best bridge students, as they have highly trained memories."

"Bridge instruction is also like giving sugar-coated lessons in ethics. There was the case of a ten-year-old heiress, whose mother was dead. The little girl was an infant terrible, impossibly spoiled and selfish. Well, I can't exactly claim that I instantly transformed her into an Elsie Dismore, but I did some constructive work with the child, who really was just undisciplined, and helped her to overcome her selfishness by teaching her the good manners of bridge."

"Bridge has a definite etiquette, based upon cricket, to go English, which discourages any hogging instinct. You can't play a good game if you disregard your partner."

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make keener players, taking a wild chance when necessary, not getting themselves into difficulties which might be avoided by a little cool judgment and reflection. "Children should start to play at about nine years, certainly not later than their twelfth year if they want to become excellent players. And they might as well learn contract right from the beginning, as it is now the game played almost exclusively in fashionable circles. Soon auction will be regarded in the same amused light as what is today. Children can learn contract just as easily as auction."

"I give a lesson every morning to a prominent woman, and even though she is quite intelligent, she surprises me by her easy recollection from day to day of what I teach her."

"But that is easy to explain," she answered, when I commented upon her rapid progress. "Every day after you leave my three children—nine, ten and twelve years old—come home from school and immediately demand that I teach them what I have just learned from you."

MILTON C. WORK receives about 500 letters a day requesting solutions of bridge problems which confront the writers, and many of these are from young children all over the country.

"About seven years ago, Tommy Tallor, the ten-year-old bridge marvel, created a sensation," said Mr. Work. "While all children of eight or nine cannot play as well as he did at that age, it is no longer a phenomenon for a very young child to play an excellent game. Children's minds are very receptive."

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In this connection a constructive and progressive step has recently been taken by the Bellevue-Yorkville demonstration of the Milbank Memorial Fund of New York City.

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THE AGE OF YOUTH

By Arthur Somers Roche

CHAPTER NINETEEN.

GARDNER took a faltering step toward her. "And—and I haven't told you to go," she said. He was close to her now, towering above her, looking down on her form, it seemed, from some overpowering height. She was suddenly frightened, not of him, but of what she was doing. In an unconscious gesture of defense, she put her hands upon his chest. Then her wrists were pinioned in his big hands.

"Donna, Donna, you don't mean—"

"I'll marry you," she whispered.

The hands released her wrists, gripped her shoulders, drew her to him. She saw his face close to hers, felt the faintest touch of his lips upon hers, and then, frightened, she was struggling against him.

"Not—not yet," she cried.

He released her instantly. "Not now—or ever, until you say 'yes'—if you do care—"

"I've said 'I'll marry you,'" she whispered.

Something of radiant lighted his face. Her own features darkened. Nothing he had done to her galled this cruelty which she was doing to him. Nevertheless, she would go on with it. She would go on with it despite a stirring within her, and as yet undetermined urge toward—something.

With a grave gentleness he led her to a chair. He stood before her, and she averted her eyes lest he see and understand the crimson burst of shame.

"To begin with, injury," he said, "is better than to start with something else and end in injury. My dear, what hurt there is for one who loves to give to the object of his love, I have given you. Never again tell me some day that you have utterly forgiven me—"

"There is always something painful in broken strength. Here was a man whose strength was re-energized by pride, yet weakened now by an emotion which, never having experienced, she could not fully comprehend. The very gentleness of his manner was foreign to him, she knew. His was the reckless, fabled-care spirit of the age; yet, because of her, he was sensitive, spiritually alarmed by her."

She felt the impulse to tell him so, but she restrained her tongue, to tell him, before it was too late that as hurt would be almost mortal, that she didn't care for him, never said care for him, and had accepted him merely to gain certain ends.

But our most exalted intentions may be sidetracked by the most trivial thing. The course of our lives may be deflected by an unexpected turn. The telephone rang as Donna was about to speak.

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Spring Suits From Hollywood



Genevieve Tobin in a jacket suit of black broadcloth and galyak. The galyak is used as a fold at the bottom of the one-piece dress and is also used in the short skirt jacket and on the hat. Black pumps, a black suede purse and tan gloves complete the costume.

This tailored suit in white is among the newest fashions turned out by the stylists who anticipate the mode for the picture stars. It is of woolen crepe, collared in white fox fur and is worn by Louise Brooks.

Miss Tobin in another of her favorite street suits. It is blue, trimmed with lamb and the skirt has a pleated effect. Notice the very small veil which goes with the chic hat. This outfit was designed in Hollywood.

Jacket Effects Are Back in Every Variety of Style—Silks and Lighter Weight Wool Are Favorite Materials Although Plaids Will Be Good for More Informal Wear.

Written for the Post-Dispatch
By GENEVIEVE TOBIN

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 20. A little girl my idea of being grown up was to have a jacket suit. And just as I was ready to wear them they went out of style and it is only recently that they have come back again. There are wool suits and silk suits and novelty cloth suits and velvet suits. They can be all one color, or a combination of colors. They may be made with a coat to match the skirt and another jacket of a contrasting color, thus cleverly achieving two outfits. And the styles run from little Bolero jackets through all the stages of length and types ever classed as a suit, with Etons, Tuxedos, belted jackets, fitted backs and loose backs. At present I believe the silks and lighter weight wool materials are probably best, because they are so comfortable under heavy coats. Later, however, the wool crepes, silk crepes, prints, silk and wool mixtures, lacy woven tweeds—all are fashionable for suits and will undoubtedly be popular when furs and heavy wraps are removed. My recent pictures have all used attractive and lovely suit costumes. In "Free Love," for example, I wore a black broadcloth made with dress and Eton jacket. The skirt of the dress had a deep border of galyak. The jacket also was of galyak and the beret hat. A narrow band of white crepe on the jacket relieved the dark color, making the tout ensemble very rich in appearance. This suit will be good even in sunny California for the balance of the winter and through March.

Another suit, worn in the same picture, is what I consider a perfect tailored type. It is of gray cloth and the semi-fitted jacket resembles a man's tuxedo. Incidentally, it is fastened in the well-known dinner jacket manner, too, with a frog and two buttonholes and buttons. Under the jacket is a vest made of galyak. Later, when the weather gets warmer, it may easily be replaced by a vest made of lighter material or a blouse, but for warmth and beauty, nothing could be more ideal than the galyak.

THE skirt of this suit is just a smart, straight affair with a few inverted plaits. It is neither long nor short but the hemline is even. A little hat made of the material goes with the suit. It suggests the beret but is trimmed with a very tailored band and a bow of black grosgrained ribbon. Gray silk crepe pumps were worn with the suit in the picture. I suggest for general wear, however, gray alligator to match the pretty alligator bag I carry, the natural colored chamois gloves are exactly right. Gloves will be light in color for spring wear and they will be a note of contrast that also is essential.

As the spring advances sleeves will grow shorter on jackets. Even the little veletteen jackets, popular for the past two seasons in full and three-quarter lengths, have not feeling of power as he instantly obeyed her. "I—It's late—almost 8. I have to dress—go, this instant." He grinned delightedly at her tone of command. "Four slave obeys," he laughed. "And I'll call for you—just as soon as I'm dressed." He had too much tact to press the victory which he felt that he had won. He blew her a kiss and dashed to the door. As she went into her bedroom she heard the outer door slam behind his hasty departure. She rang for Jennie and the maid appeared instantly. Her homely countenance was a study in repression. Donna could almost hear the hundred questions that trembled on the maid's lips. Entirely aside from other more vital matters, why did her mistress, having already donned—rather easily—a dress suitable for the evening, wish to change now? Donna could not have answered that question herself. Perhaps she found some succor from self-reproach, from self-questioning, in physical activity. (Continued tomorrow.) (Copyright, 1931.)

only been shortened in the skirt but the sleeves as well. One of the most attractive I have seen was in red. The jacket was belted in, and the sleeves were half way to the elbow. Worn with an eggshell sport dress, wide brimmed sport hat with a red and black band, it was ideal for beach or any out-of-door sport wear, and was particularly up-to-date when worn with pull-on gloves. Another interesting feature of spring materials and fashions are the plaids. These are colorful and very becoming to slender women. For informal wear, they are especially good and make up into lovely Bolero jacket suits, when combined with a plain color that harmonizes with the predominating shade in the plaid. Some of the new bolero jackets, incidentally, are being tied at the neck this year. This helps in carrying the higher neckline, required for spring wear, into effect, too, so that in itself will aid in making these suits popular.

FOR more formal wear many of the tweeds, silks, light woollens and even the velvets worn this spring, will be made into suits that suggest the tailored garment. They are dressy to a more or less degree and will display softer and more feminine lines than the sports and travel suits. There are suits made with the one-piece dress, the blouse top of print. The jacket drapes and ties like the bodices of many fashionable gowns. It closes low enough to show the print of the blouse and the sleeves are three-quarter length so that the dress sleeves show below. But the prettiest suit of this kind I have yet seen is the one designed for me by Howard Greer of Hollywood. It is of silk and wool crepe, a divine shade of blue. The skirt is accordion plaited and the jacket comes only to the waist line. It is made with wide kimono sleeves, three-quarter length, and the sleeves are trimmed with a band of moleskin collar, too, that is made so that one end slips through the other, to give the effect of a soft bow in front.

The accessories for this suit consist of long suede gloves of a deep cream color, a small, tight-fitting hat of blue velvet, suede shoes and handbag and a choker of sun tan pearls. The question of accessories is still under discussion for the spring, but they are frequently used to make a contrast in color, just as has been done in this outfit, for the bag, shoes and fur are all darker in the ascendency. They are developed in crepes, knitted wear and the flat furs such as galyak and lapin. With the jacket suits they will always be vital inasmuch as they add warmth to the costume and on windy spring days this is very essential. For later spring days there will undoubtedly be other styles in scarfs but the kerchief is gradually giving place to newer and different types. In a way this is a pleasant change, for the square scarf has been used now for several seasons.

As for costume jewelry it is more popular than ever before. Some of this jewelry is very expensive, too, and is fashioned with such care that the workmanship alone makes it interesting and novel. Much of it is in modern and futuristic designs, suitable for sports wear and, of course, much used with the jacket suit. This is not a requirement for chic, however, for many women do not care for the heavy jewelry and feel they look smarter without it. But the fact remains that it is gaining in popularity.

Veils are very good, too, this year. With the street suit they are excellent, but of course for sports wear generally they are impractical. It is doubtful if they will ever return to be worn with walking clothes and for travel. When used at all, they are short and dainty. One might say they are scarcely more than a deep lace ruffle on the bottom of a very narrow or a brimless hat and look more like a trimming for said hats than a veil.

Gloves seem to be tending towards the light colors. There are still some dark gloves worn to

match dark suits, however, but this is no longer a fashion requirement. On the contrary, gloves are really better in white or light shades for the street and the very sporty, pull-on variety are best with the suit outfits.

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DAILY STORY FOR CHILDREN

By Mary Graham Bonner

The Band's Tunes

AS the Days and Months and Years marched in the Grand March that was part of the performance held in honor of John and Peggy, the band played tunes to suit the costumes of the ones who were marching.

As those dressed in costumes of snow went marching by the band played "Jingle Bells" and all sorts of snowy, wintry music, while for those in summer costumes there were tunes about the trees and brooks.

For those in foggy suits the band played "spooky" tunes, and the flowery costumes were given tunes about flowers.

Every tune just fitted, and now John and Peggy noticed something interesting.

From time to time a Day dashed away and another Day taken its place. Peggy and John knew it was because that Day was supposed to be on duty.

Next the band played the Punctuality Tune, and the marchers all grouped themselves on the platform and sang these words:

"We're the Months and Years and Days.

We always are on time. We really are, it is the truth. It's not just for the rime.

We're the Months and Years and Days.

We never would be late. We wouldn't be because it would put things in such a state.

We're the Months and Years and Days.

We go when we are due. If you were really one of us You'd do the same thing, too.

Peggy and John clapped hard at this, and the music for it was so jolly.

And now the program continued.

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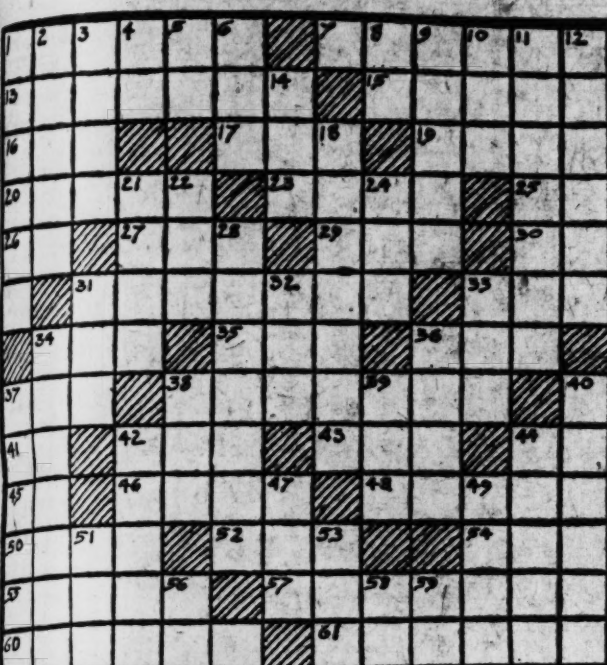
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CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

By Ralph Albertson
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HORIZONTAL

1. One who carries luggage
2. English physician
3. A country
4. A state
5. An appendage of the body
6. Prohibit
7. Article
8. Caused to rest
9. Ring bell slowly
10. Parent
11. Not prefix
12. Immerse
13. Roman numeral
14. A number
15. Part of a harness
16. Assistance
17. Call for help
18. Belt
19. The oldest church manual which dates from 1056
20. Preposition
21. Small child
22. Affirmation
23. Proposition
24. Conjunction

SATURDAY'S ANSWER

1. Porter
2. Doctor
3. Ireland
4. Maine
5. Ear
6. Prohibit
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PUBLIC MEETINGS AND ENTERTAINMENTS

A community reception and service will be held at the Third Baptist Church, Grand and Washington boulevards, at 8 o'clock tonight, as a welcome to the Rev. Dr. C. Oscar Johnson, new pastor. The Dr. James E. Crowther, president of the Metropolitan Church Federation, will deliver the principal address.

A lecture on India by Jehan Warlicker, a native Indian scholar educated in England, will be presented at the Soldan High School Auditorium, Union boulevard and Kensington avenue, at 8:15 o'clock tomorrow night, under auspices of the Washington University Association.

Dr. George M. Gibson will review Everett Dean Martin's "The Meaning of a Liberal Education," and "Liberty," at the Round Table Supper Club meeting at the Downtown Y. M. C. A., at 6 o'clock tomorrow night.

A regular meeting of the St. Louis Academy of Science will be held at Eads Hall, Washington University, at 8 o'clock Wednesday night, with an address on "The Photoelectric Effect," by Dr. L. A. du Bridge, assistant professor of physics.

Mrs. Dora Brockway Cockrell of Fulton, Mo., will speak before the Delphian Council at the Artists' Guild, Union boulevard and Enright avenue, at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, taking as her subject selected chapters from her book, "Introduction to Art."

An address on "The Missouri State Highway System and Department and Its Problems," by T. H. Cutler, chief engineer of the department, will be the feature at a meeting of the Engineers' Club, 4369 Lindell boulevard, at 8:15 o'clock Thursday evening.

John F. Green, attorney, will speak in opposition to the pending Gary-Becker tax bills at a luncheon of the Prince Men's Club tomorrow at Hotel Statler.

Drying the Fur Coat
When you get your fur coat "soaking" wet do you hang it over the radiator? That is the worst thing you can do, for intense heat injures the skin. Next time wipe the coat with a dry cloth to remove moisture, then hang it on a hanger near an open window or in a cool place where it will dry.

Laundry Bag Reform

WHEN told to get a clean handkerchief, Ellen Louise said there was no handkerchief in her drawer. Mother knew there was an ample supply somewhere—there were always only one or two in the wash—so she went on a search. When she got through she had 12 soiled handkerchiefs. She found them on the closet floor, behind the dresser, under the chair cushions, among the toys, etc.

She decided to investigate handkerchief conditions in Bobby's room. Only one in the drawer, but a search revealed 10 soiled ones. Two were tucked in the corner of the blackboard, one was with the chemistry outfit, others strewn among a lot of shoes and toys on the closet floor, and so on.

Next morning she found six soiled men's handkerchiefs on the chair in her room and she recalled she had mentioned the handkerchief incident to her husband the night before.

Did she express her feelings? Not in words. She happens to be a wise woman. But the energy she put into the making of those three laundry bags spoke volumes. She now finds the soiled handkerchiefs in the bags each week when she gathers the laundry and handkerchiefs are always where they belong in that house.

Trousers Skirts Flare

SOME of the new dance dresses at an important Paris dressmaking house have flared trousers skirts which just clear the floor. Shaped panels front and back disguise the trousers and are worked into the lines of the current long, flared skirts.

Quince and Apple Mousse
One pint cream, 1 glass quince jelly, 1 glass apple jelly. Whip the cream until stiff, add jelly and whip together until thoroughly blended. Pack in ice and salt for four hours. You have a fairy-like dessert that will be delightful at the end of the formal dinner.

Baked Fillet of Sole
Dip six fillets in salted beaten egg and then in fine breadcrumbs. Lay them in a buttered baking pan and sprinkle well with finely chopped raw bacon. Bake from 10 to 15 minutes in a pretty hot oven. Serve with tartare sauce.

Girls 'Go Mannish' With Sports Togs At Beach Resorts

JUST about the time it would appear that the girls are "going feminine" with a vengeance, a mannish waistcoat to be worn with sports frocks has appeared at Palm Beach.

These come in plaids and tweeds and are most popular for golfing. Colored stitching on silk or linen bags to match shoes is another style tidbit noted at the beach.

Yellow alligator bags and white alligator bags shown at Palm Beach are a novelty, and the hide saurians that inhabit the swamps almost within a stone's throw of the smart shops where the bags are sold.

Palm Beach maidens agree that short hair makes the men look longer, but looks, it is noted, are not quite as shorn as they were a season or so ago. A loose wave is held in place at the back by a pair of rhinestone clips.

Ironing Made Easier

Whether the ironing is easy or hard to do depends very much on the way the clothes are hung on the line to dry. Sheets should be hung double along the hemmed edges. Towels, napkins and luncheon cloths are more easily ironed if placed squarely on the line—not by the edge. Hang nightdresses along the side, and keep their shape if hung by the band instead of the hem.

Cream of Cauliflower Soup
Boil a large cauliflower until tender but not soft and cut into slices. Chop one onion and one stalk of celery and fry in butter until a delicate brown. Use one quart of chicken stock and add cauliflower and cooked onions and celery. Season with salt and pepper and add two beaten yolks of eggs and one pint of cream or rich milk. Let simmer for a few minutes to blend and then serve. A rich soup with which to start the fish dinner.

HOW IT BEGAN

By RUSS MURPHY



Leap Year Gowns

SEVERAL EUROPEAN COUNTRIES PASSED LAWS IN THE THIRTEENTH CENTURY PROVIDING THAT MALES WHO REJECTED LEAP YEAR PROPOSALS BE REQUIRED TO PAY SUMS OF MONEY TO THE FAIR ONES WHOM THEY SCORNE... THAT'S HOW OUR PRESENT DAY JOKE BEGAN...

Pocus Pocus...
VARIOUS FANCIFUL DERIVATIONS HAVE BEEN SUGGESTED FOR THE PHRASE MOST AUTHORITIES SAY IT REALLY COMES FROM THE WELSH EXPRESSION, "HOED PWA" WHICH MEANS A GOBLIN'S TRICK.



CHESS...THE GAME OF CHESS APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN ORIGINATED IN INDIA...THE WIFE OF RAVANON, KING OF CEYLON, ABOUT 3000 YEARS B.C. IS SAID TO HAVE INVENTED THE GAME TO AMUSE HER HUSBAND WHILE HIS ARMY WAS WITHSTANDING AN ENEMY SIEGE WHICH COMPELLED RAVANON TO REMAIN WITHIN THE CITY.

Why does a distinguished soldier's horse follow his coffin to the grave? Where did "ten-penny" nails get their name? Answer tomorrow.

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Ho Hum, He's Wrong Again



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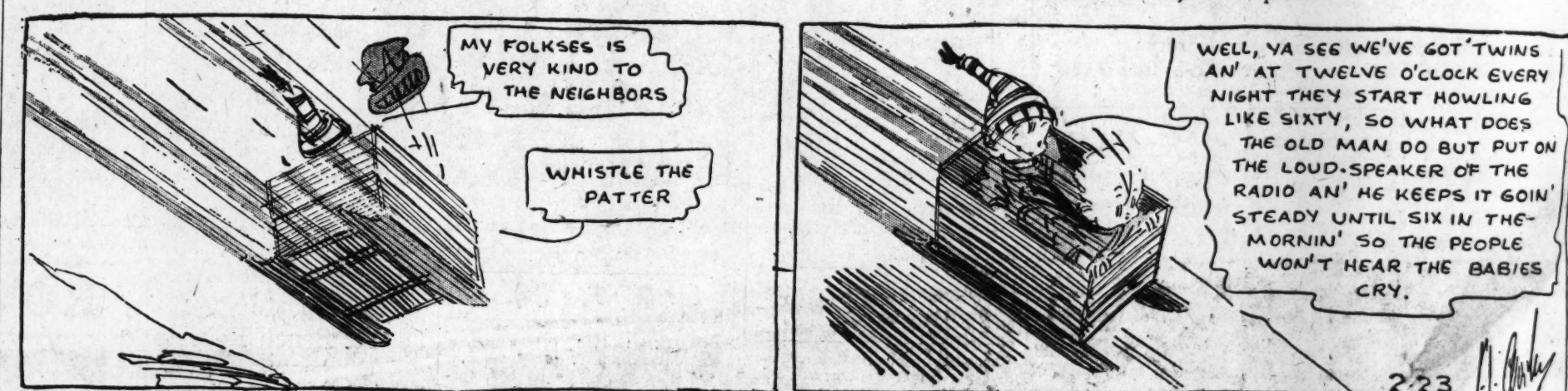
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EXPLOSION RAZES HOUSE, DAMAGES 40 BUILDINGS

Flames Spread to Two Homes Adjoining 5025 Ridge Av., Occupants of Which Were Absent.

3 HELD BY POLICE FOR QUESTIONING

Jack Palermo Says He Took Family to Spend Night With Wife's Mother—Powder Cans Nearby.

A violent explosion demolished a one-and-a-half story frame residence at 5025 Ridge avenue at 2:12 a. m. today.

The deep roar and brilliant orange flare of the explosion routed residents of the neighborhood from their beds. Many were awakened by the crash of glass as windows in 40 nearby buildings were smashed by the explosion.

Fire followed the detonation, which was heard more than a mile from the scene. The flames burst out first in the flattened ruins, then spread to two adjoining houses before firemen arrived.

The residents of the house, which was rented, left the place at 8 o'clock last night. Jack Palermo, head of the family, said. After he had been arrested in a filling station at Kingshighway boulevard and Shaw avenue, Palermo told detectives he had taken his wife and three children—the eldest eight years old—to spend the night with his mother, Mrs. Joseph Fullara, of 5045 Shaw avenue, who is ill.

Gunpowder Cans in Ashpit.

Palermo's arrest at 5 a. m. preceded by only a short time the finding of three empty pint gunpowder cans in an ashpit half a block from the scene of the explosion. The cans were labeled "Superfine Triple-A Gunpowder."

Detectives who arrested Palermo reported they took him in charge when, entering the filling station, they heard him say over the telephone, "Ridge avenue." His identity as a resident of the Ridge avenue address was not made clear until he was questioned at the police station.

Waiting in front of the filling station in an automobile while Palermo used the telephone were two men who identified themselves as Joseph Fullara of the Shaw avenue address, his father-in-law, and Jim Lucetta of 5633 Columbia avenue.

Palermo declared he did not know that his house had been wrecked until the detectives told him of it. He said he and his companions were bound downtown "on business." They were held for further questioning.

After the fire had been extinguished in the ruins of his home, however, the impression of neighbors was that he and his companions had perished in the blast. Accordingly, the ruins were cooled rapidly with water, and policemen and firemen searched them for more than an hour in the glare of searchlights, before deciding that no bodies were in the debris.

Two Hurlled From Bed.

William W. Farber, 5021 Ridge avenue, whose residence adjoined the Palermo place on the east, told a Post-Dispatch reporter the explosion buried him and Mrs. Farber from bed.

"We were sleeping on the second floor," he said. "I heard no noise but awakened suddenly to find myself on the floor. Mrs. Farber was also on the floor. She was screaming."

"A red glare lighted up the room and there was a loud hissing sound and the cracking of fire. I looked out. The house next door was in a pile like a smashed cardboard box. It was burning all over and our house was beginning to burn, too."

"I ran to the telephone, picked up the receiver and yelled 'Fire!' into the transmitter. Then we ran from the house and, after a few moments the firemen came."

House a Pile of Timber.

Oscar Hall, who resides at 5029 Ridge avenue, immediately west of the explosion, said he was awakened by a crash of glass to find himself showered with fragments from a window.

"I knew pretty well what had happened," he said. "I figured the home of the Italian family had been bombed. My wife and I grabbed our daughter, 2 years old, and we ran out. As we went through the house our curtains were burning. When we got outside I could see the house next door had disappeared completely. There was just a flat pile of timber where it had stood and they were blazing all over."

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